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The W.A. of Kettleby United church will meet at the home of Mrs. S. Heacock and Mrs. Geo. Cambourne Tuesday evening, March 2, at 8 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tucker and Miss Sara Barradell spent Sunday in Stouffville at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Mathewson. Miss Linda Mathewson returned home with them. Miss Betty Webster spent the weekend at New Scotland with Miss Libby Douglas.

Messrs. Murray Cook and Arthur Blow, Miss Doris and Beulah Geer were Sunday evening guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cook.

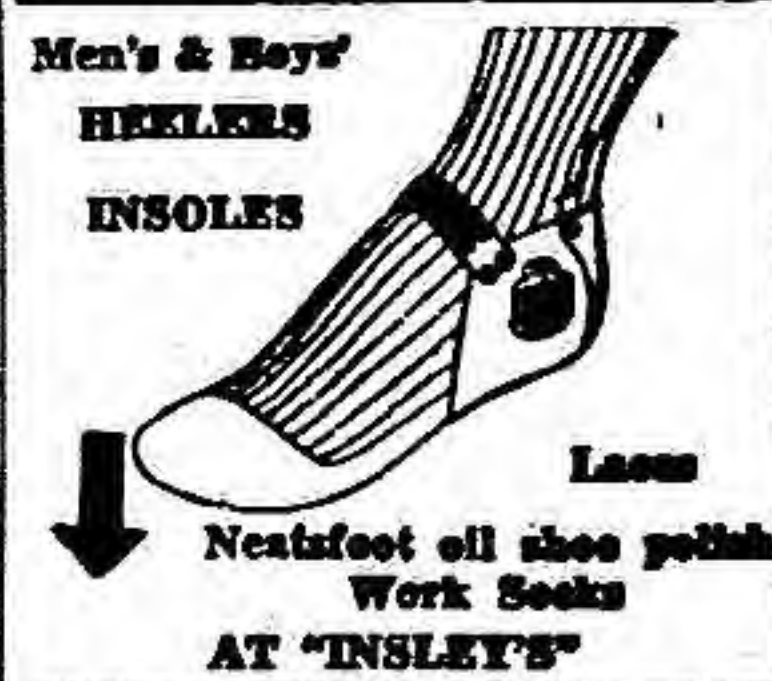
Mr. Willson Crichton, University of Toronto, spent Sunday at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Curtis and Miss Jean Curtis spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Webster.

Beauty Spots of King Township will be shown by Mr. Raymond Marshall in the United church next Sunday evening, Feb. 29.

Mr. Walter Clarkson, Lansing, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Curtis.

Mr. Harry Webster, who has spent the past three months in Toronto Western hospital, returned home last Thursday, Feb. 18, and is improving slowly.



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Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Burkholder were Mrs. Pearce, Miss I. Pearce, Mr. Gordon Pearce and Miss V. Irvine.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Huntley spent a day in Toronto this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Cunningham, Toronto, and Miss Jean Cunningham, Bowmanville, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Cunningham.

Miss June Devey, Toronto, attended the farewell party given to Mr. and Mrs. B. Cunningham on Friday night.

Farewell Party

A large number of neighbors and friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Cunningham on Friday evening to bid farewell to the family as they are moving to their new home at Keswick. An enjoyable evening was spent in cards and dancing, after which Mrs. T. Peregrine read an address and Mr. A. Howlett presented an end table. The family will certainly be missed as they took an active part in all affairs of the village.

Miss Clara Hill, Sutton, visited her sister, Mrs. Harry Tomes, last week.

Mrs. Chesley Doane spent a few days in Toronto with her son, Mr. J. Doane.

Mrs. Jacob Smith is visiting her daughter, Mrs. G. Silverthorne, Islington.

Mr. J. B. Aylward attended the reunion and banquet of the 198th battalion in Toronto Wednesday night and renewed old acquaintances.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Kavanagh spent a few days with their daughter, Mrs. Johnson, in the city last week.

Sidewalks
There is a possibility that in the near future we may have a sidewalk at the north end of our village as far as the cemetery. This is something that is urgently needed, especially now when traffic on the highway is so heavy.

We are hoping also that now that spring is approaching we may get the street lights.

Glad to report that Mrs. Doug Beckett is improving. Mrs. Ashenurst, Newmarket, has been staying with her daughter, Mrs. Beckett.

A number of the Eastern Star ladies from here attended Burrie chapter meeting on Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus Smith visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Mainprize, Sutton West, on Sunday.

UNION ST.

W.I. To Meet

The Union Street Women's Institute will meet at the home of Mrs. Lillian Johnston on Thursday, March 4, at 2 p.m. The motto is "Never be too hard on your enemies, they may some day be your friends." The roll-call will be answered by an Irish joke. Each member is requested to bring along a question for the question box. Publicity will be the topic with Mrs. T. Swanson, Mrs. B. Deavitt and Mrs. E. Breen in charge of the program. The hostesses are Mrs. T. Swanson, Mrs. H. Greenwood and Mrs. R. Holborn will serve pie.

Mrs. Douglas Beckett is under the doctor's care. A speedy recovery is hoped for.

Mrs. R. Reid of Newmarket spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Graham.

GLENVILLE

Miss Wilda Webster, Toronto, spent the weekend with her grandmother, Mrs. J. Webster, and her aunt, Miss Bernice Webster.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Doane, Mr. Roy Sharpe, Mrs. Bruce Gibson and Miss Dora Doane motored to Elmvale Monday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Ernest Chapman.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Doane motored to Clarksburg on Monday to visit Mrs. Doane's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Loughheed.

Mrs. Jas. West had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Max Grantham, Newmarket, on Tuesday.

MOUNT ALBERT

The library board had a very successful party in the town hall on Tuesday evening with 32 tables of euchre and five hundred. Mrs. Keith Stokes and Mr. Young were lucky winners for five hundred and Mr. J. Cooper and Mrs. S. Harper, Sr., were lucky in euchre. Lunch was served cafeteria style and the remainder of the evening was spent in dancing. The net proceeds for the library were \$50, and every one had a lovely evening and only hope there will be more get-togethers. The board is grateful to all who helped make it such a fine success.

Mr. Harry Barton, Toronto, has moved into part of Mrs. Foster's house.

The W.A. of the United church held its meeting at the home of Mrs. Ed. Watts on Wednesday with 19 ladies present. The ladies have sent \$25 to Save the Children Fund and hope to soon pack their food boxes for Britain, donations for which may be left at the post office. Cupboards have been added to the church kitchen and plans laid for work to be done in warmer weather.

The Newmarket Dramatic club is putting on two plays in the town hall on Friday evening, Feb. 27. The dramas are A Bargain's A Bargain and Heaven on Earth. They are being sponsored by the L.O. Lodge. Be sure and see them.

Mr. Oscar Rolling, Bluesky, Peace River, has been visiting relatives in this community for several days.

The Cheerio Group will meet next Saturday evening at the parsonage at 8 o'clock.

Miss Anne Carruthers, Toronto, spent the weekend with her parents, Dr. W. L. and Mrs. Carruthers.

The Women's Institute held a baking sale on Saturday at Theaker's store and the ladies in charge were pleased to report \$25.75 for the Institute funds.

Rev. W. H. Burgess took the service at Zephyr United church on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Pearson and Joan motored to Kitchener to spend Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Pearson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Archer and Bennie, Elmvale, and Mr. and Mrs. Eade and Beverly, Gormley, were guests on Sunday of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Sinclair.

Mrs. Julia Bain, Eberts, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. D. B. Pegg.

Mr. Harry Johnston and Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Rankin and Barbara, Toronto, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. Couper.

Mr. Frank Case was rushed to York County hospital on Saturday for an emergency operation.

Mr. Roy Carr is on the sick list, being confined to bed with an attack of flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dawson and Tommy, Toronto, were guests on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Price.

The sympathy of the community is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Austin Boden, Toronto, in the sudden death of their little daughter, Betty Joan. Mr. Boden was quite well known in the community before moving to Toronto.

The February meeting of Mount Albert Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. Bruce Rolling with 30 members and three visitors present. It was decided to try and raise the money to provide a crib for York County hospital.

A donation for \$10 was to be sent to the Hospital for Sick Children and \$5 to Aid to China fund. The proceeds from the individual card parties amounted to \$40 as well as providing many pleasant evenings. A nominating committee of Mrs. Geo. Price, Mrs. W. L. Steeper, Mrs. M. Stokes and Mrs. G. Broderick was named.

Mrs. B. Sinclair gave a talk on An Afternoon with Miss Lewis. Miss Betty Rolling gave a piano solo. Mrs. H. Harmon gave a paper on Duties to Our Own Community. The hostesses were Mrs. Burgess, Mrs. Harman and Mrs. Sam Harper, serving tea and bringing a pleasant afternoon to a close.

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GIRLS, we can give you some pointers on some of the bachelors around here. Not all of them, by any means, are shiftless and indifferent. We can tell you of quite a few who in recent years have been making good money by getting early season

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Timothy St. West

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### This is Leap Year Girls!

This is leap year, girls! Take a tip from Sadie Hawkins and buy your man a pair of stockings. Or look around this page and see what your leap year lure could be.

Some advice: (The following pool of information gathered in an imaginary survey made by a staff writer on a Monday morning under the worst possible conditions, after a difficult weekend, in hopes that it will be of some aid to the searching female).

Before making a selection, girls are advised not to run for the first free male they see without a body guard on the morning of February 29. Such a thing might be a dangerous plot, a clever counter-tactic devised by the prey. No, girls, ponder with wisdom and cunning before you leap at your leap year prize.

This year the younger males offer a wider selection and always remember that the earlier the age, the easier it is to housebreak them. Also, your repertoire of wiles and blandishments can be confined to a few basic principles when you are working with tender ages. The weaknesses and flaws of the unexperienced youth practically makes him a set-up.

The older bachelors, cunning, sly, having logged in a number of leap years already, are inclined to be a little more cagey and less susceptible. And there's always the black sheep, too.

We predict that '48 will be a difficult year, girls.

When sizing up the various eligibles around town there are certain qualities to look for and we suggest the following classification headings (not in order of importance): (1) attitude; (2) type; (3) social life; (4) finances; (5) degree of tolerance; (6) resistance value. The value, however, depends on your own individual needs.

In an overall survey of free males, The Era and Express found the following bad characteristics that show up more distinctly than any others: bow legs, knock knees, flat feet, pigeon toes, varying degrees of stubbornness, near sightedness, laziness and shiftlessness.

Out of 100 eligibles, 76 percent did not like bridge, 77 percent were bad bridge players, 78 percent could not play bridge and 79 percent could not play cards at all. The remaining 21 percent were still in bed when we called at 10 a.m.

A good percentage in this cross section had certain advantages that in time, training and a certain amount of patience may develop to off-set these undesirable qualities. It is with great regret, however,

### Now Is The Time To Look Your Prettiest



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that we report to you girls that practically all of the teen-age boys and most of those free in their 20's, tend toward the carefree, hail-fellow-well-met, esprit de their own particular corps, independent sort of life, each going his own way, bothering no one and asking nothing from the world. That's hard to beat, girls. You've got a hard fight ahead of you and may the best . . . you've got a hard fight ahead of you.

We started out with the idea of making a great big classification of Newmarket bachelors but soon became so wound up in data, red tape, the slashing editor's pencil and an irate bachelorhood that we gave up the job. Besides we haven't time to put out a 50-page issue this week. Take a tip, girls, and always remember this, be honest in your efforts and play the game fair and square because the male can be a trusting soul. It brings to mind a few lines by Tennyson: "O purblind race of miserable men, how many of us at this very hour do forge a life-long struggle with ourselves by taking true for false or false for true".



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## So This Is Our Model Utility

The suspension without warning of hydro power in Toronto early last week was indefensible. It showed an irresponsibility to an extreme bordering on the criminal. How dare anyone assume that no harm would be done to the thousands affected in an infinite variety of circumstances where safety, even life, depended upon the continuing flow of electric power. It is a monstrous example of the betrayal of a public trust.

It now develops after a week-long rat race of denial and counter-denial that the secrecy that enveloped the initial power suspensions was at the request of the province. The province excuses the request in a fine burst of jargon which compounds confusion. A rough translation of the provincial hydro's statement establishes: (1) power consumption had to be reduced; (2) to complete calculations on how much the reduction would be, it was necessary to reduce the power in the large municipalities by definite amounts at definite times; (3) secrecy was requested to avoid "erroneous impressions" of the amount of the reduction in power that would be necessary.

These flimsy excuses are scattered like leaves before a high wind when it is remembered that the Huron by-election was on Monday, the day of the first power suspension.

The power shortage is blamed primarily upon the low water levels and their effect upon power generators in Quebec where Ontario has placed large power contracts. Hydro officials must have been aware of the forthcoming shortage since last fall when the dryness of the season forecast the low water levels. There was ample time to plan for the time when power would be short.

The hydro itself could have contributed towards lessening the demand for power but it continued to sell its electric equipment to the consumers. When it might have begun a publicity campaign explaining the approach of the shortage and the reasons for it, the commission was content with generalized advertisements which attributed the emergency to heavy demands by new industry. When it might have informed local commissions well in advance, giving them an opportunity to work out local rationing systems, it kept the secret to itself until the last moment.

Perhaps, as has been said, the provincial commission gambled on the January thaw to make up the deficiency in water and lost the gamble when the cold weather continued. If that is the case, there is no justification of the commission's actions in it, but there is condemnation. Public officials have no right to gamble when the public's welfare is at stake, least of all to gamble against such heavy odds as having the right weather at the right time. The thaw was a hope but under no circumstances is hope a substitute for planning for every contingency.

The fact still remains that the Huron by-election was February 17, and the admission of impending power shortages following the dismissal of Dr. Hogg would have made poor campaign material.

Even if the Huron by-election with its slim majority for the government candidate did not enter into the hydro's thinking, there is no lessening of the criticism of the manner in which the emergency has been met. The attitude of the provincial hydro has been most arbitrary. Where it was under the obligation of making public all factors concerned in the power shortage, it has assumed the dictatorial manner and withheld information on the worthless grounds that "erroneous impressions" might get about.

When the public safety is involved, what "erroneous impressions" there might arise would be a cheap price to pay for publicizing the facts. At that, it is a far-fetched assumption that what confusion there might be over the exact amount of the required power reduction would do any harm. The public is not without common sense contrary to the opinions of the provincial hydro.

The Ontario Hydro-Electric Power Commission has had the reputation of being a model public utility. Whether the manner in which the power emergency has been approached was the result of the government's ambition to win the Huron by-election at all costs, or the utter stupidity of provincial officials, the effect is the same. It will be a long time before the people of Ontario will forget the irresponsible manner in which the emergency was met.

## Council Deserves Praise

The Newmarket town council is to be congratulated on their submission of an offer for the county land lying west of the town on the south side of Eagle St. as the site for the low rental housing project. Apart from the obvious advantages of higher ground and more pleasant environment, the choice of site points the way to further increase in the physical size of the community. Newmarket can reasonably expect a continuing development of both business and residential sections towards Yonge St.

The choice of this site over others on the outskirts of town seems to be the wisest both in cost and in the proximity of water and sewer services. The latter need only be extended from existing services to reach the site, materially reducing these costs as applied to other sites.

Surprisingly enough, the council has been under considerable pressure of protest against the project as a whole. One objection has been that the new houses will mean a heavy additional expenditure in schools and hospitalization to accommodate the families living in them. What is not generally realized is that the new houses are for the accommodation of families already in town but who have been living with their relatives or doubling up in one or two furnished rooms.

A second major objection has been that the low rental housing project means, inevitably, the creation of a "shack town". The argument doesn't follow. On the word of the Central Housing and Mortgage Corporation, the crown company which will construct the homes, the houses will be built in keeping with the best possible standards—more important—their tenants will be encouraged to look upon their homes as a permanent possession and no obstacles will be put in the way of their eventual purchase. Finally, the site itself will be landscaped by the builders and no effort spared to improve its appearance.

Those who are comfortably settled in their own homes can have no idea of the conditions that exist for less fortunate families who are jammed into furnished rooms or are crowding the homes of relatives. Such congestion is leading to the deterioration of the family unit. The immediate relief of such conditions is a foremost need in Newmarket. The low rental housing project offers the best opportunity to achieve it.

By Tuesday afternoon, there has been no suspension of hydro power in Newmarket because the voluntary efforts of everyone has kept the power consumption down the required 15 percent. It is to the credit of every citizen that they have shared in this voluntary rationing. Mr. Fred S. Thompson, chairman of the Newmarket commission, says that he has had every support from industry and commercial users, a co-operative effort that has been indeed worthwhile if the fate of Toronto and other centres where the power has been suspended can be avoided.



## Cat Nips

BY GINGER

To be or not to have been. That is the question. Whether 'twould have been better had I left the grease paint on or played the role straight. It seems these drama boys have to be all leagued up with that war paint to keep in character, so just to preserve the atmosphere of the theatre, I starred in A Bargain as a gray cat instead of my usual tawny coat.

My make-up job would have fooled anybody. A couple of the female leads did the art work on me, which I enjoyed no little. It was a devil of a job getting the stuff off though and I've still got black streaks on me. After the show was over last Thursday, I was walkin' past the bus terminal and a passenger spotted me. He turned back and shouted to the offcoming passengers that there was a Royal Bengal tiger loose. Chief Constable Byron Burridge came down later and asked me if I had seen a small right because he got a phone call that there was one.

If I get any good offers from New York theatre producers I will snap at 'em post haste. But acting isn't my true talent. Writing plays is my real line but it has yet to emerge. I'm secretly writin' a sequel now to that Broadway play, A Streetcar Called Desire. The title of it will be A Bus Called Frustration, based on John Steinbeck's novel, A Wayward Bus.

Last Saturday morning, getting up about 6 a.m. just as the dawn was creepin' up, I turned on the radio and one of those announcers was sadly reportin' that Toronto street lights were still blazing when it was almost bright as day out. Seems he had a good point for those switch pullers to think about. Wonder how many kilowatt hours all the Toronto street lights use in a minute?

This hydro shortage just

"A cat may look at a king," said Alice. "I've read that in some book but I don't remember where."—Lewis Carroll.

shows how many specialized services we depend on day to day. Hydro is an insignificant little servant of which we don't take much notice until it is shut off. Reminds me of an old Indian I once heard about who came across four states to break in some wild horses for the army. Told the army boys that he still wasn't affected by civilization. Nope, he walked half way across the west hunting game and collecting wild berries for food on his travels, and sleepin' in the open.

Chumley, my friend from the city, drives a car that somebody else made, eats meals that somebody else fixes for him and sleeps in a hotel that requires dozens of people to operate. Leave him alone in the woods and he's like an automobile without gas, spark plugs and generator. He's gotta have gadgets to keep him running.

## Are Prices At Peak?

Have prices reached peak? Maybe not yet, warns The Financial Post which points out: "Some observers believe — and all would like to believe — that the top of the hill has been reached; that we could now hope to make some orderly progress toward price equilibrium. But has that time arrived?"

"A year ago, Melchior Palyi, consulting economist of Chicago, insisted — in the face of many contrary views — that U.S. inflation fires would continue through 1947. Events proved his forecast the most accurate we have seen. What is Palyi predicting today?"

"In brief, he expects commodity prices to 'recover'. Don't be surprised if there is another 10 percent increase in wholesale prices this year, he says. But, perhaps 1948 will hit the inflation apex."

## Letters

The Editor: "Hands at Work" —with clear brains to direct them. Through the kindness of Providence, where are these more abundant than in North York, the banner county, in the fair province of Ontario? Eighty square inches of space in North York's leading weekly paper, issue of February 12, 1943, Page 3, picturing these, but sponsored by a company that makes that which dulls brains and unsteadies hands for work.

A fall for filthy lucre's sake, to the grief of the remnants of the pioneer stock of this historically honorable county of high standards of thought and life, is the enemy of all good — the liquor traffic — given space in our worthy paper.

Staff and readers thereof: Take notice! An elephant has stuck his nose in! Will we not rally to prevent him coming farther? Will we not keep him out altogether hereafter? The first square inch of so-called "Good Will," but treacherous advertisement has been accepted and appeared in our local paper. Will not all who have at heart the best welfare of childhood and youth, and the promotion of happy homes protest the publication of any more such advertisements?

Elma M. Starr, on behalf of the Religious Society of Friends, and as a Conventor of Committee for "Childhood and Youth" in North York Temperance Federation.

Editor's Note: The law of the province permits advertising on behalf of the brewing industry upon the observance of definite conditions. The advertisement to which the letter refers tells of the training in industry given war veterans. Since the advertisement conforms to the law, and since it contains information of interest to the public and of assistance to veterans, we can see no objection to its appearance, an opinion shared by neighboring editors in the county who have also printed the same advertisement. The advertisement in no way advocates the sale of beer.

## Opinions Of Other Editors

Unprecedented Prosperity A Myth States Collier's Weekly (Downmanville Statesman)

Collier's, a weekly magazine published in the U.S.A. and one of the greatest in its field in the world, has something to say in its Feb. 7, 1943, issue on the question of alleged prosperity arising from the late war. In a leading editorial, Collier's quotes Molotov as saying America has remained sheltered from attack and seized opportunity during the war to reap unprecedented profits and to emerge enriched at its conclusion. "The magazine observes that this charge is being batted about freely in the world today and happens to be 100 percent false."

It is admitted that many corporations did make big profits but they also paid unprecedented taxes and are still doing so. There is no permanent enrichment in that. In fact the effects of war were devastating to the whole national economy. This is evidenced in the continuing housing shortage, deterioration of roads, railways, oil and gas pipelines, hospitals, schools,

## On Second Thought

By The Editor

Donald P. Stewart at Glen Appin Farm on Gorham St. has sent us a clipping of a verse which he thinks was taken from the Era of 1853. He writes that he found the clipping in a scrap-book of his grandfather, the late Dr. B. F. Pearson of Queensville. The poem is entitled "Lay of the Henpecked." It follows with the note of the editor of the day added for good measure:

LAY OF THE HENPECKED  
We find the following mournful "Lay" floating around in the sea of newspapers, claiming no paternity. We suppose the author was afraid to attach his name, no doubt wishing to retain his remaining eye. Poor fellow!  
O, her hair is as dark as the mid-night wave,  
And her eye is like the kindling fire,  
And her voice is as sweet as the spirit's voice  
That chords with the seraph's lyre.  
But her nails are as sharp as a toasting fork,  
And her arms are as strong as a bear's;  
She pulled my hair and she gouged my eye,  
And she kicked me down the stairs.  
I've got me an eye that is made of glass,  
And I've got me a wig that's new;  
The wig is frizzled in corkscrew curls,  
And my eye is a clouded blue.  
She may shake her knuckles full in my face,  
And put the lamp to my beard,  
And hold the broomstick over my head—  
But I'm not at all afraid.  
For I've bound her over to keep the peace,  
And I've bought me a crab-tree cane;  
The police will come, and the justice, too,  
If she meddles with me again.  
My head was a week in the linen cap,  
And my eye a month in the patch;  
I never thought that the torch of love  
Would light such a brimstone match!

NIGHT JOURNEY  
Mothers rise at dead of night  
In fear of blankets not quite tight  
"I think I heard a sound" they'll say,  
And softly move across the way.  
To stand by children breathing deep,  
(Now I lay me down to sleep)  
And smooth the rumpled strands of hair . . .  
Tonight, when you are watching there  
Think on these . . . on children's faces  
In the bitter, barren places.  
Where those other mothers stay  
In aching vigil; while they pray  
"Not tonight, Lord. Pass him by!"  
(Now I lay me down to die.)  
Can you sleep, who hear their cry?  
—Lotta Dempsey.

Night Journey was written on behalf of the Canadian Appeal for Children, an organization dedicated to assistance of the child victims of war. There is no question of need; half of the children born in Europe since the end of the war are already dead from malnutrition. The poem was based on this horrifying fact.

In Newmarket, the Auxiliary of the Legion branch is sponsoring the campaign and donations can be sent to Mrs. Wilfred Oliver, Lowell Ave., or to R. D. Brown, manager of the Bank of Montreal in Newmarket.

Two drillers sat down to eat their lunch. One began to unwrap a package some 18 inches long. "What's that?" asked the other. "My wife's away," said the first, "so I made myself a pie."

"A bit long, ain't it?" his friend asked.

"Long? Sure it is. It's rubbery."



From The Era and Express files, March 2, 1923.

Mr. George Johnson, Toronto, son of the late Jack H. Johnson, was in town on Wednesday.

Mrs. Matthews and Miss Matthews of Sarnia are visiting Mrs. T. C. Watson, Prospect Ave.

Mrs. Isaac Leppard of Newmarket, now on a visit to her son's home in Lachawana, N.Y., has been taken ill with the gripe.

Mr. M. A. Brandon, first principal of Doric chapter, Newmarket, is attending Grand Chapter of Ontario in Toronto this week.

Quite recovered from his recent severe illness, Sir William Mulock, Chief Justice of the Exchequer Division of the Supreme Court of Ontario, resumed his duties at Osgoode Hall, Toronto, on Wednesday morning. A number of his brother judges called on Sir William and congratulated him on his recovery.

A blanket was stolen off a horse under the Methodist church shed on Wednesday night.

The Bank of Toronto is getting in new hardwood floors. The town scraper has been plowing up the snow on Main St. to help old Sol in his work.

Good winter markets last Saturday morning. The hucksters lost not time gawking butter at 40 cents and townspeople paid from 40 to 43 cents. Eggs were firm at 55 cents. Dressed chickens from 32 to 35 cents a pound.

Only four weeks till Good Friday.

From The Era and Express files, February 25, 1898.

Mr. Elias Rogers attended the Friends' Quarterly Meeting here last Saturday.

Miss Pettigrew of Essex, cousin of Mrs. McKay, was here on a visit for a few days this week.

Hon. E. J. Davis addressed meetings this week at Keswick, Sutton, Fetherlaw, and Mount Albert.

W. V. Richardson and wife attended Friends' Quarterly Meeting at Newmarket this week.

Dr. Armitage of Port Hope, Mich., was in town this week and took his wife home with him after a visit here of six weeks or more with her parents.

Messrs. Ed. Richardson, George Pearson, and Charles Edmundson started for Teslin, about 1,500 miles north of Vancouver, on Tuesday, under contract to work on the Mann-McKenzie railway.

Mr. Norman Soake, brother of Mr. Robert Soake of Bogart Town, is here on a visit and expects to return to the north-west in a few weeks. Mr. Robert Soake and family are going back with him.

The principal commodities on the market last Saturday were butter, eggs, and beef. Eggs sold as high as 13 cents and as low as 15 cents a dozen. Butter principally from 14 to 17 cents a pound, but as high as 19 cents was paid. No change in price of beef.

## OTTAWA LETTER

by  
"Jack" Smith, M.P.  
North York

The house has continued this week with the consideration in committee of the emergency exchange conservation bill and it has been making rather slow progress. Opposition mainly centres on the fact that the bill gives great authority to the minister, and while the argument certainly has some merit, the problem is how to institute this measure of control over trade without giving someone the authority. Along with consideration of the exchange bill, the throne speech debate has continued on a wide range of subjects.

The Indian affairs committee has again been set up and will continue its study of the problems of our Indian citizens in all parts of Canada.

In the senate the bill to legalize the manufacture and sale of margarine has been introduced and a similar bill will soon be before the commons. Members are being swamped with representations and literature pro and con and the bills will inspire hot debates in both houses.

Price Committee  
The all-important price committee is meeting twice daily and is beginning to get some interesting and valuable information. I have attended several sessions and as can be appreciated it is slow and tedious work tackling a problem of such magnitude but the members are sure that in the long run much good will come to the Canadian people from their deliberations.

The re-imposition of control on imported citrus fruits has been a direct immediate result of the committee's investigations.

Pension Increases  
As I predicted in an earlier letter, more generous pension increases were announced this week by the prime minister. Pension increases and additional grants to student veterans will cost the federal treasury an additional \$12,500,000 during the current year. The boosts will bring Canada's total pension bill to nearly \$85,000,000 annually.

It is often said and probably with considerable truth that present parliaments cannot match those of past days in the art of repartee. However, there are occasional bright spots and there was one the other day which caused merriment on all sides of the house. A Liberal member used a rather large word and an opposition member shouted, "How do you spell that?" Coming to the aid of his colleague, a fellow Liberal shouted back, "Oh, this isn't a kindergarten." Quick as a flash from the opposition bench came back, "Then what are you doing here?"

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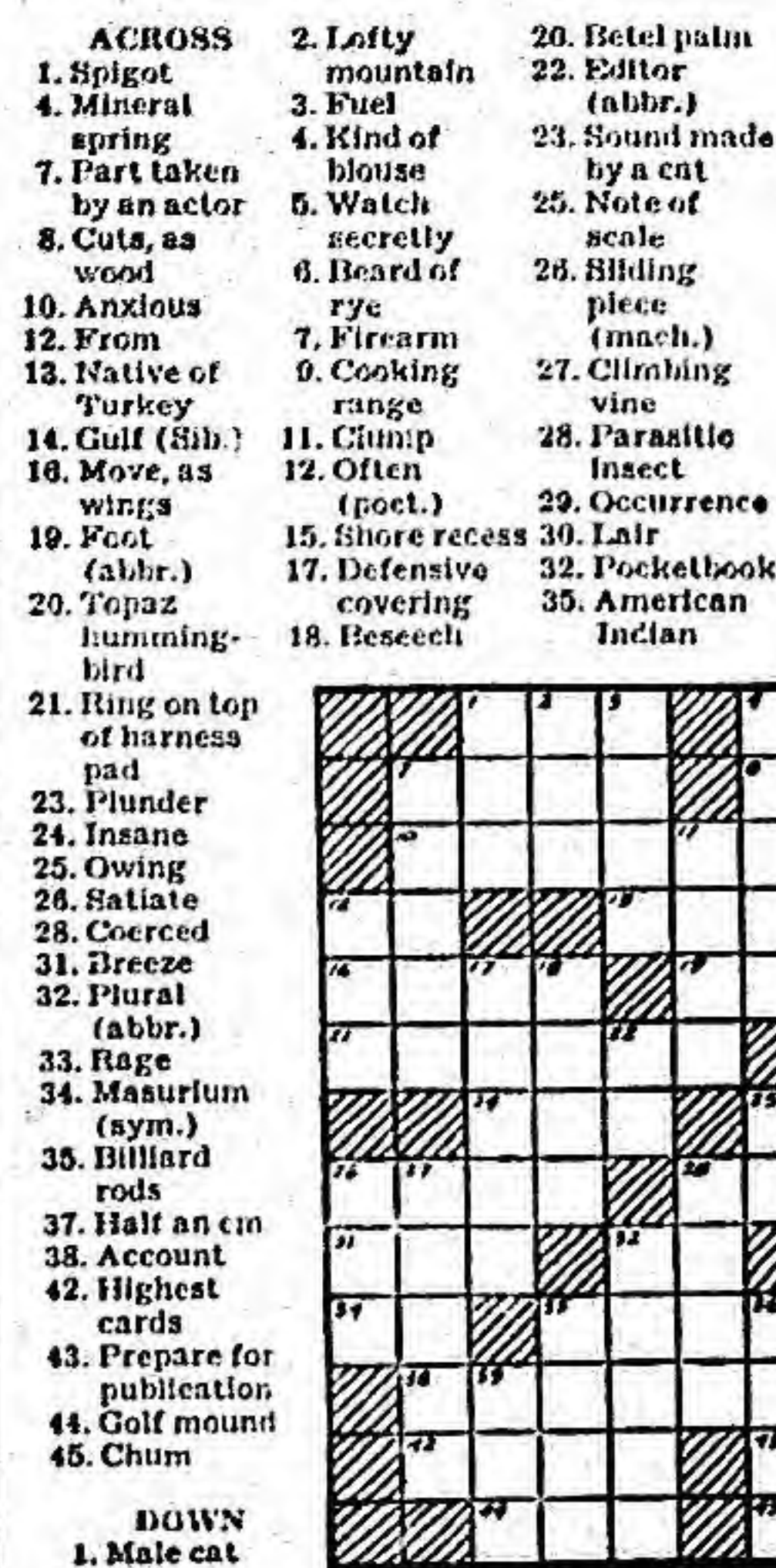
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**MAKES DONATION**  
Aurora—Ed. Hawkins, Aurora businessman, made a fine gesture at the Aurora Branch \$25.

Canadian Legion, dance on Friday last. He donated \$5 for a spot dance prize and also made his first donation of \$5 towards the branch's building fund. J.

Greer, Newmarket, won the door prize donated by the Helena Louise Beauty shop and W. O. Stephens won Mr. Hawkins' prize.

### PINE ORCHARD

Willing Workers will meet at the home of Mrs. J. Ash, assisted by Mrs. J. Sytema, on Wednesday afternoon, March 3, at 2:30.

### Family Night

The annual family night supper of the W.I. was held at the Union church on Wednesday evening, Feb. 18. There was a good attendance. After singing Faith of Our Fathers and repeating the Lord's Prayer in unison, the president, Mrs. R. Armitage, called on Rev. R. R. McMath for a few remarks. The program consisted of vocal selections by the Pine Orchard quartet of Messrs. L. Heaslip, A. Boake, Misses Helen Reid and Betty Hope accompanied by Miss J. Hope, and delightful readings by Miss Margaret Smith, Newmarket, and Miss Aleta Widdifield read her account of Pine Orchard, A Sign Post Speaks. This item is to be included in the Tweedsmuir history book being compiled by the W.I. Miriam and Patsy Boake favored us with a vocal duet accompanied by Miss Betty Hope.

The gathering certainly enjoyed the pictures presented by Mr. George Luesby, Newmarket, of his trip to the Canadian west and other interesting films.

A pleasant evening came to a close by the singing of God Save the King. Mrs. Mel McMillen was chairman for the program. Rev. and Mrs. R. R. McMath were in attendance, also George Luesby, Jr., who had drawn the plans of the Union church when it was remodelled.

Mr. W. A. Armitage, Toronto, spent Sunday with his brother, Mr. Ross Armitage.

Mr. Frank Sheridan is feeling

better and able to be out. Mr. and Mrs. Norman Reid, Brown's Corners, and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Rutledge, Stouffville, spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. J. Ash.

Mr. Russell Allen spent Saturday with his brother, Mr. Alonzo Allen, and Mrs. Allen, Stouffville.

### Win Another

Supporters of P.O. hockey team journeyed to Uxbridge by chartered bus on Monday night to attend the game between Goodwood and Pine Orchard in the semi-finals. Score was 3-2 in favor of Pine Orchard.

### SHARON

Miss Mary Weddel and a girl friend from Oshawa General hospital spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Levi Weddel.

Miss Doris Mackie, Toronto, spent Sunday with Mr. Wilfred Fountain.

The Misses Violet and Evelyn McDonald, Toronto, spent the weekend with their uncle, Mr. Chas. Wright.

Mrs. Barton Ward, Sutton West, spent a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Hall.

Mr. Ted Fife, Toronto, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fife.

Mr. and Mrs. Welly Stevens attended Gideon banquet in Toronto on Saturday night.

The regular meeting of the Sharon Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. E. Kitley on March 3 at 2:30 p.m. It will be a St. Patrick's tea, so each member is asked to bring a friend. The northend members will provide sandwiches and the southend members cookies.

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**WHEATHEARTS OGILVIE** 1/2 LB. 13c  
**COOKER PEAS** 2 1/2 OZ. 17c  
**PORK & BEANS** 2 1/2 OZ. 31c  
**RIDEAU CHEESE** 1/2 LB. 25c  
**HEINZ MUSTARD** 1/2 OZ. 18c  
**HEINZ SOUP** 1/2 OZ. 15c  
**TASTY SPREAD** 1/2 OZ. 24c  
**LIBBY'S BABY FOODS** 2 1/2 OZ. 15c  
**RED ROSE TEA** 1/2 OZ. 57c  
**WAXED PAPER** 1/2 OZ. 31c  
**5 ROSES FLOUR** 1/2 OZ. 40c  
**CRUNCHIE PICKLES** 1/2 OZ. 29c  
**GOLDEN CANE SYRUP** 1/2 OZ. 27c  
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**VELVET FLOUR** 1/2 OZ. 32c  
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### MIAMI BEACH

It looks as though spring is really on its way with the crows flying around again. The icemen have finished filling their ice houses to be ready to serve their customers for the summer.

Mrs. Freeman Sedore and little Marion were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Miller last Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 17.

Mrs. Bill Foster, Barbara and Ronnie spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Oliver King. Mrs. Emanuel Miller has been on the sick list for nearly a week. We hope she will soon be well again.

Sunday guests at Oliver King's were Mrs. Carson Crowder, Mr. Lee Sedore, Mr. and Mrs. James Crowder and their families.

Deepest sympathy is extended to Mrs. Taylor and family in the sudden death of Mrs. Taylor's aunt who was staying with them.

Mr. Chester Miller and little Joe spent Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Miller.

The country roads are slippery and icy. People who have cars have to take all precautions to keep their cars right side up on these slippery roads, especially those with light cars.

### BROWNHILL

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Sedore are quite prepared for spring any day now judging from the tulips which they have up at least four inches.

We have had rather a busy weekend here at Brown Hill. Both Miss Eva King and Harvey Miller (student of Sutton high) had to have appendix operations on February 23 at York County hospital. They are both doing well. We all wish them a quick recovery and home again soon.

Mrs. Amos York had several guests last Friday including Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Travis and children, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Mitchell, Mr. Morley York and Miss Rose Johnson, Newmarket. Mr. George Travis, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Longhurst, Zephyr, and a number of guests from Brantford were guests at the home of Mrs. E. Sedore last Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Timmings visited Mrs. S. Sedore over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Art King, Keswick, had dinner at the home of Mrs. S. Sedore Sunday. It was nice to see Mrs. Art King taking Mrs. E. Sedore for a drive Sunday.

Last Thursday, Mrs. Les Nelson had a quilting party with Mrs. Evelyn Sedore assisting. Mrs. Amos York had a quilting too with Mrs. Flossie Comer helping her last Monday.

Mr. Harold Timmings is sporting a new car—a nice one, too.

Mrs. Sergeant visited at Baldwin last Saturday. We are glad Mr. Will Robinson is feeling much better now.

Mr. Ross Mitchell visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Nelson for a while Sunday afternoon.

Charlie Nelson was home for a while on Monday.

We are sorry Miss Elaine Longhurst has been quite ill for over a week with a bad cold in her chest. We all hope she will soon be well and back to school.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sedore were back at church last Sunday. There will be church service and Sunday-school as usual next Sunday.

Mr. Ken Williamson was home for a few days and went back to Toronto on Monday.

Miss Shirley Sedore was home for a short while last Saturday but later left to visit relatives at Keswick.

### ZEPHYR

Miss Laura Horner, Midland, spent the week at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Bibby, Mr. and Mrs. L. Profit were in Toronto on Tuesday of last week.

Miss Mary Jane Gould, Uxbridge, visited at the home of Mrs. R. A. Armstrong for a few days.

There was a good attendance at the euchre party in the hall on Friday evening. Jean Rynard won the ladies' prize and Chesley Lunney the gentlemen's prize. Next euchre party is Friday evening, March 5.



Garnet H. Caster, B.A., son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Caster, Zephyr, has been awarded the Department of National Health and Welfare scholarship, at the School of Social Work, University of British Columbia, Vancouver.

### FATHER DIES

Aurora — Sam Chapman received word this week of the death of his father, Thomas Chapman, Torquay, England, on Feb. 14. Mr. Chapman died in his sleep. He was in his 80th year.

### MARKS BIRTHDAY

Aurora — Congratulations are extended to Thomas Graham, Centre St., veteran Aurora carpenter and builder, who celebrated his 84th birthday on Wednesday last.

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**For sale**—9-roomed rough cast house at Holland Landing, reasonable. Apply Mrs. Sharpe, 770 Queen St. W., Toronto, or phone WA. 4003. \*3w3

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**For sale**—Electric stove, 6-burner oven, price \$15. Apply Trillium United Church, Thursday from 7:30 to 9 p.m. or any time at Hooker's store. cr1w5

**For sale**—3-piece Chesterfield suite, 2 colors, wine and green, used one year, in good condition. Phone Newmarket 707. cr1w5

**For sale**—Dark blue Loyd baby pram in good condition, will sell cheap. Apply Mrs. Freeman Croucher, Sharon, c.o. Mr. George Leuyer. cr2w5

**For sale**—Bed and springs. Phone 97 Newmarket. cr1w5

**For sale**—Powder blue shorty coat, like new. Size 18. Reasonable. Phone Aurora 48. \*1w5

**For sale**—Folding cot, oil stove and oven, air mattress. Apply 22 Spruce St., Aurora. cr1w5

**For sale**—Singer round bobbin drop head treadle, Singer long shuttle drop head treadle sewing machine. These machines have been completely rebuilt and are guaranteed. A free sewing course will be given with the sale of each of these machines. Singer Sewing Machine Store, 102 Main St., Newmarket, phone 1075. cr1w5

**For sale**—New scale Williams piano in good condition. Apply 15 Niagara St., Newmarket. \*2w5

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## 22A TEACHERS WANTED

**Teacher wanted**—Understanding person in Newmarket to teach retarded thirteen year old boy, morning only, till end of June. Apply York County Children's Aid Society, 112 St. Clair Ave. W., Toronto. cr1w5

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## BIRTHS

**Brady**—At York County hospital, Friday, Feb. 20, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Brady Newmarket, a son.

**Gould**—At York County hospital, Friday, Feb. 20, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gould Newmarket, a son.

**Hayward**—At York County hospital, Saturday, Feb. 21, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hayward, R. R. 3, Newmarket, a son.

**Kirby**—At York County hospital, Wednesday, Feb. 25, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. Reginald King, Aurora, a son.

**Lyons**—At Toronto East General hospital, Monday, Feb. 23, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Lyons, Scarborough, a son.

**Sheardown**—At York County hospital, Tuesday, Feb. 24, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. John Sheardown, Schomberg, a son.

**Thompson**—At York County hospital, Monday, Feb. 23, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Thompson, Newmarket, twins, a son and daughter.

## DEATHS

**Allen**—At her home, 54 Woolwick St., Guelph, Saturday, Feb. 21, 1948, Edna May Drummond, widow of the late Leslie G. Allan, and mother of Gordon.

**Funeral service** Wednesday, Interment Mount Pleasant cemetery, Toronto.

**Caruthers**—At Newmarket, Wednesday, Feb. 25, 1948, Wilbert Orr Caruthers husband of Annie Gertrude Eakins father of Bessie, Ruby and John.

Resting at his home, Franklin St., until Saturday noon. Service at St. Paul's Anglican church at 2:30 p.m. Interment Newmarket cemetery.

**Defoe**—On Friday, Feb. 20, 1948, at his home, 164 Glen Rd., Toronto, Calvin W. Defoe, brother of Nellie Defoe.

Funeral service on Monday, Interment Briar Hill cemetery, Sutton.

**Good**—At Winnipeg, Man., on Thursday, Feb. 19, 1948, Mary Winter, wife of the late Joseph Good of Port Arthur.

Service on Monday. Interment Newmarket cemetery.

**Hargreaves**—At York County hospital, on Tuesday, Feb. 24, 1948, Violet Hobson, wife of Edward H. Hargreaves, mother of Patricia, Joyce, Edward, Ann and Violet.

Funeral service on Friday at 3 o'clock. Interment Newmarket cemetery.

**Helmer**—At the home of his daughter, Mrs. Charles Near, 7 Court St., Newmarket, on Monday, Feb. 23, 1948, William Henry Helmer, husband of the late Elizabeth Ann Flanagan.

Service on Wednesday. Interment Newmarket cemetery.

**IN THE ESTATE OF FLORENCE PORTER**, late of the Town of Newmarket, in the County of York, widow deceased.

**CREDITORS** of the above-named deceased, who died at the Town of Newmarket, in the County of York, on or about the 20th day of November, 1947, are hereby notified pursuant to the Trustee Act to send in the undersigned proof of their claim on or before the eighteenth day of March, 1948, after which date the assets of the Estate will be distributed having regard only to the claims of which the undersigned will then have notice.

**DATED** at Newmarket this twelfth day of February, A.D. 1948.

Mathews, Silver, Lyons & Vale Newmarket, Ontario.

Solicitors for Jane Morrison Williamson, Administratrix.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

**IN THE ESTATE OF JUDITH M. STEPHENS**, late of the Town of Newmarket, in the County of York, DECEASED.

Creditors of the above-named deceased, who died at the Town of Newmarket, in the County of York, on or about the 8th day of July, 1947, are hereby notified pursuant to the Trustee Act to send in the undersigned proof of their claim on or before the 1st day of April, 1948, after which date the assets of the Estate will be distributed having regard only to the claims of which the undersigned will then have notice.

**DATED** at Newmarket this 26th day of February, A.D. 1948.

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ON THE  
**ALLEYS**  
By PIN-BOY

As we said last week, Ken Tansley's club in the Davis league might go away over its head and it did just that. 3,284 for three games. This puts the Tansley boys on top of the league by 7 points. Pettit's team took a 5-2 decision from Revell's. Smith's and Revell's are tied for second place. High for the week, Townsley 689, Pettit 676. Bothwell 652.

In the town men's league, Doug Mount of the Clover Kickers set a new high single of 375. H. Craddock's 334 is still high for three games. This puts the week were D. Mount 728, 375 single, A. Smith 759 (273), R. Fairley 741 (283), C. Tugwell 722 (281), R. Gibson 719 (293), H. Craddock 689 (273), and J. Hisey 670 (278).

Doris Beare led the Thursday night girls with 193, 153, 190 for 536. Norma Peel 245, 163, 132 for 540. Myrtle Dunn 227, 176, 159 for 562. Edna McGrath 139, 190, 211 for 540. Helen Coveney 114, 235, 193 for 542.

The Sangamo league was topped by Frank Burch's 625 (227). Ivan Burke took 600 (234), Mrs. Moore 446 (203) and Jean Harmon 415 (160).

The Sheet Metal squad of the Hoffman league took 4 points from the first place Machine Shop team last Friday while the Press Shop took 3 from the Voreclone. Standing: Machine Shop, 37, Voreclone 33, Press Shop 33, and Sheet Metal 17. High single went to R. Smalley with 259. Three-game high, R. Smalley 627, F. Daniels 611, and G. Blight 582.

Here is the Mount Albert standing: Tigers 53 points (39 games), Bluebirds 52 (36), Cubs 50 (33), Bluebells (got it) 47 (33), Skylarks 47 (39), Wildcats 45 (33), Excelsiors 45 (36), Dodgers 39 (33).

The ladies. High average: Iola Campbell 146, V. Oldham 145, Doreen Oliver 144. High three with handicap: Mrs. E. Harmon 647. High single with handicap: M. Stokes 292.

The men. High average: M. Roberts 197, F. Dampf 195, G. Scott 182. High three with handicap, E. Davis 771. High single with handicap, F. Dampf 331.

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### CAMPAIGN OPENS IN MARCH

**Organize Jr. Farmers In Schomberg**

The formation of a Junior Farmer group for the Schomberg area was the basis of a discussion held at the home of Glen Hulse, Schomberg, early last week. A group of young folks from the Schomberg district interested in the formation of a Junior Farmers' Association attended the February meeting of the Vellore Junior Farmers and Vellore Junior Institute, an active local group of the York County Junior Farmer Association. As a result of interest shown there, a preliminary organization meeting was held to further discuss their problems.

The Vellore Junior Farmers were well represented. Bruce Snider of Maple, the County Junior Farmer president; Allan Orr, president of the Vellore boys, and his secretary, Bruce Hoiles; Mary McGillivray, president of the Vellore Junior Institute, and her secretary, Evelyn Hare, were present. Miss Lulu Row, home economist, and Archie McKenzie, assistant representative for York county, were also present to lend a hand in the discussion. Nine boys and four girls represented the Schomberg group.

It was decided that there were sufficient numbers of boys and girls to form an active club. Glen Atkinson was elected temporary president and Marjorie Kitchen, temporary secretary. A committee was appointed to investigate possible meeting places and decide on one for the organization meeting. In sponsoring this club, the Vellore Junior Farmers have undertaken to inform the young people at their organization meeting of junior activities, local, county and provincial as well as supply a social and recreational period.

This meeting will be held in the Schomberg Market hall on Thursday, March 4, at 8.30 p.m. The Junior Farmers' Association includes young men and young women, single or married, and has as its goal the development of agriculture, home life, community spirit and citizenship. It is imperative that all those young people in the community interested in the Junior Farmer Organization should attend this meeting. Only by interest of a large group can a successful active club be formed.

**Engagement**

Mr. and Mrs. Bert W. Boyd announce the engagement of their only daughter, Gwendolyn Ruth, to William Angus Burkholder, Jr., only son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burkholder, Sr. The wedding is to take place at the bride's home Saturday, March 6, at seven o'clock.

**WEDDING**

**WOOLVEN - HICKS**

In Toronto on Saturday, Feb. 14, 1948, Marjorie Adelaide, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hicks, R. R. 2, Stanford Twp., to James Archibald, son of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Woolven, R. R. 2, Newmarket.

**CARD OF THANKS**

I wish to offer my sincere thanks to the Newmarket Veterans' Association for the beautiful flowers. Also the Women's Association of Trinity United Church, neighbors and friends for their many gifts, baskets of fruit, flowers and cards received during my illness. Thanks to Dr. L. W. Dales and the nurses and staff of York County hospital for their kind attention. Mrs. E. Dohbie.

**CARD OF THANKS**

Mrs. Addie Hoover wishes to express her heartfelt thanks to the kind friends and neighbors for their cards, letters and fruit while she was in the Toronto Western hospital. They were greatly appreciated.

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### Larger Prizes For Seed Fair

Prize lists for the York County Seed Fair which will be held this year at Woodbridge on Friday, March 12, are just off the press and offer considerably increased prizes for the seed growers of the county as well as an interesting program for the afternoon of the fair. In view of the drive for increased seed grain production this year, it is expected there will be a larger entry than usual competing for the \$340 offered.

A feature this year will be the two special classes for fall wheat grown by members of the 50 Bushel club. Ten members, all growing the new loose smut resistant variety, Cornell 595, exceeded the 50-bushel mark with the highest just over 60 bushels. All entries of small seeds must be officially graded as to purity and germination by the plant products division of the dominion government and the sealed ten bushel lots of registered and certified oats and barley will be sold by auction during the afternoon of the fair.

Guest speaker for the fair will be Dr. G. P. McRostie, head of the field husbandry department at the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, who always has a very appropriate message for an agricultural audience. The junior farmers' seed judging contest will also be held as it is increasing in popularity. The fair is conducted by the York County Crop Improvement Association of which M. C. Macklin, Agincourt, is president and Agricultural Representative W. M. Cockburn, Newmarket, is secretary.

**Golden Glow Still Chuckles About Plays**

By GOLDEN GLOW

This is the morning after and I am still smiling and chuckling over this month's "offering" of the Newmarket Dramatic club. On Thursday and Friday the club presented two one-act comedies, A Bargain's A Bargain and Heaven On Earth, and they certainly were gems.

The audience last night (Friday), laughed loud and long as the two plays unfolded. The first one concerned a mix-up over the ownership of a fur coat and a real live pussy cat was a very important character, even if we only saw it for a brief moment as Monty Brown, Grace's husband, carried it (and the fur coat) from the dumb-waiter across the stage. George McNelly played the part of Monty and Alma Stevens the part of his wife, Grace. The Smiths, who lived in the apartment above, were Edna Sleight and Mike Morrow, while the Howes, friends of both couples, were Barbara Hamilton and Bob Henderson.

It was Mrs. Howe who, along with the cat, caused the plans of the other two women to slip the coat up to the Smith apartment via the dumb-waiter, to go awry. The Brown's baby, heard but not seen, also managed to complicate things. (It sure could howl.) But when Mrs. Smith's coat was sold to Mrs. Howe by the unsuspecting Mr. Brown at a fraction of its cost, the fun became fast and furious, with Smith and Howe actually coming to blows. It was from this sale that the play got its name.

I guess I've said enough to mix everyone up, but believe me, the play was well put on. Everyone took his part splendidly and the stage management and properties were excellent, too—those in charge of that part can take a bow themselves.

Heaven On Earth

And now, the second play, Heaven On Earth, the one chosen to be presented at Hart House in the Central Ontario Drama Festival. Where the action of the first play took place in Chicago, the second was in the living-room of the Hubbard's house in the country in southern England. The characters were Mr. and Mrs. Hubbard, their daughter, Jill, Ellen, the maid, and Adrian (a young man with unorthodox ideas of his own on life in general).

When the curtain goes up, Mrs. Hubbard (Vera Brown), is talking to her moon-struck daughter (Fern Russell), who fancies herself in love with the philosophic Adrian and his "fundamentalist" ideas. Jill explains to her mother that she and Adrian (Jack Struthers) have very "advanced" ideas, that he is coming for a weekend visit and that she intends to leave with him to live in Cornwall (free from the fetters of wedlock), raising bees and violets. The basis of the plot from there on is the way in which Mrs. Hubbard and her husband (admirably played by F. D. L. Stewart) cope with Adrian and the problems he presents. Barbara Hamilton plays the part of the very correct (and shocked) maid who ushers Adrian into the home.

The horrified parents manage to fight fire with fire, however, and eventually Jill is brought to her senses, but what happens in the meantime is hilarious and no mistake, and the audience at Hart House are in for a treat on the night of the festival.

It was with much pleasure that we watched the casts of the two plays present a box of long-stemmed roses to Mrs. Dorothy Bowman, who directed both plays and who certainly earned the flowers. Charles Boyd, president of the club, was master of

**Bugle Band Seeks \$500 Grant, Need \$3,300**

Newmarket—A grant of \$500 was requested from the Newmarket town council on Monday night by representatives of the Newmarket Bugle Band, which broke up during the war. Harold Brown, president, and Len Burling, vice-president of the re-organized group, said the band had been forced to sell all instruments at the time of the break-up in order to pay off its debts, and that new instruments would now cost about \$3,300.

"We don't want to affiliate with any other organization. We want to be an independent town band, one that will play for the town and will be a credit to it," Mr. Brown said. "It will be cheaper in the long run if we buy good instruments now, and the good instruments all come from the United States. We are asking the town to supply instruments for the bass section, including the bass drum and two tenor bugles. The cost of these instruments amounts to an even \$500."

"If we are able to raise the necessary funds, the band will consist of 42 members, 29 of whom were members of the old band. The other \$2,800 which we will need we hope to receive from local organizations, from the industries and from an entertainment day. The boys have chipped in themselves to pay for instruction, and after we are organized, with instruments, we should be self-supporting. We will have to know by the middle of March at the latest whether we can pay for the instruments if we are to have them in time to take part in memorial services and in the Waterloo competitions in June," he said.

The request was referred to the finance committee.

**\$6,291 SURPLUS**  
(Continued from front page)

On the expenditure side of the ledger, \$1,107.82 more than the budgeted \$18,700 was spent on roads, highways, streets, etc.; capital expenditures out of revenue (for sewers) amounted to \$1,080.50 and the C.N.R. siding cost \$1,489.63 more than the \$1,000 which was set aside. The finance committee overestimated the amount required for general government expenditures by \$782.16, but the amount necessary for public works was underestimated by \$1,107.82. Two debentures, one for sewers and the other for "water supply systems" were wiped off during the year. Payments on the two totalled \$4,634.77.

The Newmarket Memorial Arena showed a bank balance at the end of the year of \$746.22 as compared with a balance of \$148.16 at the end of 1946. The library board's balance is \$442.32 as compared with \$497.58.

Newmarket's assessments in 1948 will total approximately \$100,000 more than they did in 1947, and \$356,000 more than ten years ago. The debenture debt at present is about \$7,000 higher than a year ago, but is \$418,000 lower than 20 years ago, and \$130,000 less than ten years ago. At present the debenture debt stands at \$107,088.

The Newmarket hydro commission showed a net revenue during the year of \$17,001.32, giving it an operating surplus over two years of \$28,730.49. It also has a reserve for depreciation totalling \$41,725.10, and a "reserve for equity in the hydro-electric power commission system" of \$7,940.59. The \$28,730.49 operating surplus does not take into account the hydro bill for the month of December, nor for the consumption to be charged to consumers from the last date of meter reading to the close of the year. The reserve for depreciation is about \$475 less than it was a year ago.

### Hi-Lights of N.H.S.

By Elaine Robinson

Last Wednesday, Grade 11 and 12 of the commercial department of the school paid a visit to The Canada Packers Co. in Toronto. The students and the teachers were heartily welcomed by the management of the plant and were shown a good time. Visits were made to all the different departments of the plant and the students saw what happens to the animals from the time they enter the factory to the time they are ready for cold storage or are shipped to the retailers in cans. The students, Mr. H. Garrett and Mr. R. Dick were served a delicious meal, a sample of what a modern factory serves its employees every day.

Thursday afternoon, the senior basketball team lost to Richmond Hill 17-16 in a great game. It was a tough one to lose and a second loss to Aurora has now put us out of the senior running. We're glad to say that the junior team did the much better in their game. They played R. H. juniors and won by a score of 17-15. This game put the juniors in first place, but they lost to Aurora later on and are now in a three-way tie for first with Aurora and Richmond Hill.

In Assembly last week, Grade 10B put on a skit entitled "Denie Meenie Miney Moe." This was a school room skit and provided many laughs for the students.

The Davis Oratorical contest for Lower School was held in the Assembly hall last Thursday morning. Each pupil in the Grade 10 forms of the school were required to give an oral and the two pupils from each form with the highest marks gave their speeches in front of the students. The judges, who were the English teachers of the school, chose Jean Lewis' speech on Holland as first and Allan Jackson's on Citizenship as second. These two students were from Grade 10A. Doreen Pegg and Ann VandenBergh represented 10C and Ruth Farr and Robert Muirhead 10B.

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Diane Lynne Hisey, Newmarket, one year old on Thursday, Feb. 19.

Clarke George Smith, R. R. 3, Newmarket, one year old on Friday, Feb. 20.

Barbara Page, Newmarket, ten years old on Saturday, Feb. 21.

Shirley Haskett, Newmarket, one year old on Sunday, Feb. 22.

John Lehman, R. R. 3, Newmarket, two years old on Monday, Feb. 23.

Marlene Mazo Martin, Newmarket, 12 years old on Wednesday, Feb. 25.

Alvin McKnight, Newmarket, 15 years old on Wednesday, Feb. 25.

Dianne Jean Whittaker, R. R. 1, Keswick, one year old on Wednesday, Feb. 25.

Brian Bales, Newmarket, five years old on Thursday, Feb. 26.

Roderick Gregg Harrison, Queensville, ten years old on Thursday, Feb. 26.

Send in your name, address and birthday and become a member of The Newmarket Era and Express Birthday club.

## Trinity W.M.S. Appeals For Aid To Children

Newmarket — The regular meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of Trinity United church was held on the afternoon of the second Thursday of February, with the vice-president, Mrs. J. A. Maitland, in the chair. After conducting the devotional exercises Mrs. Maitland made an appeal for help for the children of Europe, and deplored the enormous waste of wheat in our own country.

Mrs. Morton, president of the W.M.S., gave in an interesting manner a chapter of the Study Book for the year. Reports of the annual meeting of the Presbyterian were given by the delegates, Mrs. Codlin and Mrs. Meads. Plans were made for procuring materials for garments to be sent to headquarters. The next meeting of Trinity W.M.S. will be held at 2.45 p.m. on March 11. All ladies of the church are very welcome.

## Church Youth Tackle Big Job

Newmarket — Five thousand church boys and their leaders will take part in a money-raising campaign from February 16 to March 2. The 1942 objective in this annual Boys' Finance Campaign conducted by the Boys' Work Board of the Ontario Religious Education Council is \$14,350.00. The Boys' Work Board, which represents the churches working together to give teen-age boys a Christian character building program, needs this money to promote camps, conferences, the Older Boys' Parliament, boys' groups in local churches, and leadership training schools.

The money is raised by means of a province-wide share selling campaign. In announcing plans for the annual Boys' Finance Campaign today, Edgar Stephens, Newmarket, member of Boys' Parliament, expressed the hope that the community would give generous support to this worthy cause.

## 'Women's Place' Topic Of W.I. Discussion

Newmarket — The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. J. B. Bastedo, Park Ave., on February 19 with 47 members present. Mrs. Roy McDonald presided.

The highlight of the meeting was a round table discussion under the leadership of Mrs. Arthur Boyd on the questions: "Should we have free immigration?" and "Is a married woman's place only in the home?" which were ably handled by Mrs. Fred Proctor and Mrs. Robert Lewis with all the members taking part in the discussion.

After the business meeting refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Ross Howlett, Mrs. Norman Rogers, Mrs. R. Lewis and Mrs. R. Pritchard. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. E. Wright, Gorham St., on Thursday, March 18, at 2.30 p.m. and will take the form of a St. Patrick's tea. This tea is open to the public. Each member is requested to bring a guest.

Classifieds can help you.

# A WOMAN'S PAGE

Women's Editor: Caroline E. Lee Phone 953; in Aurora phone 151

## Newmarket Social News

Phone Newmarket 750

—Misses Shirley and Doreen Boulmer, Fenlon Falls, spent Sunday with Mrs. M. Henderson and Miss Freda Boulmer, Lowell Ave.

—Mrs. Hazel Mantle, Mr. and Mrs. Neal Tomlinson and Mr. Bruce Ross, Toronto, were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Blake Broad.

—Mrs. Annie Sanderson and Mrs. Charles Stuffles called on Mr. and Mrs. John Crouch, Willowdale, on Sunday for a short visit.

—Miss Marjorie McCarnan, Toronto, spent the weekend at home with her parents and family.

—Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Sanders and son, Paul, of Richville, spent Sunday with Mrs. Sanders' parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Ruddock.

—Mr. W. Garrell spent the weekend in Orangeville where he visited many friends.

—Mrs. Amy Sedore, Keswick, spent one day last week with Mrs. Annie Sanderson.

—Mrs. Agnes Robson and daughter, Eva, of Barrie, and Mr. W. Henry spent Sunday as guests at the home of Mrs. J. R. Watson.

—Mr. Bert McCarnan spent the weekend at home with his wife and family.

—Kathleen Mathews spent the weekend at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Mathews.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Murphy, Toronto, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. Prest and attended the anniversary services at Trinity United church.

—Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bain, accompanied by their children, Robert and Sheila, spent Sunday in Toronto visiting relatives.

—Mrs. Annie Sanderson and Mrs. Charles Stuffles spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Huntley.

—Mr. Wm. Boyd spent the weekend at home with his wife and family.

—Dr. and Mrs. Frank Mills and baby, Mary Grace, of Toronto, called on Sunday at the home of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mills.

—Mr. John Crouch, Willowdale, received a letter from his cousin, Mr. William Greenwood, who for many years was a resident of Ravenshoe. He is at present in the north-west and his friends in this district will be pleased to learn that he and his family are well.

—Mr. Eric Jackson spent the weekend at Teaswater with his wife and family.

—Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Norman, Toronto, were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Sine.

—Mr. and Mrs. Russel Ellis and family of Gormley spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Blizard.

## Homemakers' Exchange

Last week the people of Newmarket were requested to reduce their power consumption by at least 15 percent or be cut off. All Homemakers can help by practising thrifty ways of conserving electricity. Anne Allen, home economist of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario, sends the following ten suggestions to assist homemakers in their voluntary rationing:

- Don't leave lights on in rooms not in use; Keep light bulbs and reflectors clean; place lamps to best advantage for eye comfort;
- Do not use colored light bulbs—dark colors absorb light; Use white lamp shades to reflect as much light as possible; Do not operate radio unless you are listening;
- Do not leave appliances "on" when not in use; Do not dampen clothes too much for ironing; Do not waste hot water if you have an electric water heater; Do not run your washing machine too long.

Here are 14 ways in which to conserve power while using the electric range:

The average oven has accommodation for at least two or three dishes at once. It is necessary, however, to select dishes which need the same temperature. A good way to do this is to list your favorite dishes—quick breads, vegetables and desserts—under the temperatures at which each should be cooked; Oven companions do not necessarily have to be table companions. A dessert for next day's lunch or even the cereal for the next morning, may be in the oven along with tonight's dinner;

Select baking dishes to fit the oven racks. Too large ones absorb more heat and stop circulation of heat; Do not place dishes on lower shelf directly under those on the top shelf; Turn all units on range to low or off when food begins to steam;

Make use of all stored heat in surface elements—e.g., heating water; Use flat-bottom, tight-covered utensils that fit the element; Use bottom section of double boiler for cooking one vegetable while making the pudding in the top section;

Use small quantities of water for cooking and cook with pressure cooker often; Do not use your electric range to heat your kitchen; Thaw frozen meats to reduce the amount of electricity necessary to cook them;

Meats should be roasted with the fat side up so melting fat bastes the meat—no need then to open the oven door and waste electricity; A great deal of cooking can be done with heat stored in the electric oven after the current has been turned off; Thicken cream sauce on partially cooked vegetables instead of making it in another saucepan.

Remember to send your recipes to The Homemakers, c/o Newmarket Era and Express, Newmarket, Ont. Next week: egg supper dishes.

## Wife Preservers

If there are acids in the enamel of your refrigerator, rust spots will form. Touch up the acids with an enamel paint, using mild soap and water for cleaning cracked enamel.

## FAREWELL BID TO MRS. THOMAS LEACH

Newmarket—About 35 friends of Mrs. Thomas Leach gathered at St. Paul's parish on Friday night where they gave her a surprise "bon voyage" party. Mrs. Leach was greeted by the group singing Sailing, Sailing. After opening her many attractive presents, Mrs. Leach thanked the ladies, telling them she considered them as her family in Canada. Lunch was served following a social half-hour.

Mrs. Leach plans to fly to Scotland in April. She will visit her family in Yorkshire, England, and expects to return to Canada in June.

## NEED COTTON PIECES

Newmarket — Many contributions of clean white, used cotton for the Friends' Nursing Service in Europe were received at the Home and School meeting on Tuesday night. Boxes are being placed in each of the public schools and parents are urged to send any suitable cotton pieces with their children to school. These cotton contributions are used to make dressings and bandages for the destitute peoples of war ravished Europe.

Classifieds bring results.

## VANDORF GIRL WED IN AURORA

The marriage of Elsie Margaret van Nostrand, Reg. N., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur van Nostrand, Vandorf, to Harvey W. Curry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Curry, Bradford, was solemnized Saturday, Feb. 21, in Trinity Anglican church, Aurora, in the presence of the immediate families only. Rev. R. K. Perdue officiated.

The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a street-length dress of white silk jersey with white shoulder-length veil and halo headdress. Her only jewelry was a single strand of pearls brought from Rome. The bridesmaid, Miss Marion van Nostrand, Sudbury, sister of the bride, wore mauve crepe with shoulder-length veil caught in a halo of rust flowers. Her bouquet was tea roses and mauve sweetpeas.

Mr. A. B. Gardiner, Meaford, was best man and Mrs. Gardiner, sister of the groom, played the wedding music. A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents in Vandorf.

Mrs. van Nostrand, mother of the bride, wore a light green floral silk with corsage of Talisman roses. Mrs. Curry, the groom's mother, wore a navy sheer with corsage of roses and sweet peas. For travelling the bride wore a suit dress of powder blue Australian wool, grey hat and coat and black accessories. They will reside in Bradford.

The bride has been on the staff of York County hospital for five years and is well known to many in the vicinity.

## Aurora Churches

Rev. J. R. Langstone, executive secretary, Religious Education Council, Toronto diocese, will take the morning service at Trinity Anglican church. In the evening Rev. Gordon Taylor of St. Andrew's College will be the preacher. A Fireside hour in the parish hall will follow the evening service.

Aurora United church W.M.S. had charge of the Sunday services last week. In the morning Mrs. E. H. Clarke and Mrs. Harold Clarke were in charge with Rev. Dr. J. T. Tupper of the Angola mission as preacher. In the evening Mrs. J. H. Knowles and Miss L. Reynolds were in charge while Mrs. E. C. Muddle gave the address.

Rev. John Davey, Toronto, took last Sunday's services at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church.

## CONCERT TONIGHT

Newmarket—The first presentation of the Canadian Concert series is being held tonight at 8 p.m. in the Christian church. This concert is being sponsored by the Men's club of that church and features four outstanding artists.

## LEGION NEWS

Tomorrow night is the date for the February social evening. All Legionnaires and their ladies are invited. Lunch will be served.

Dates for the future cribbage games are: Friday, March 2, Newmarket at King; Friday, March 16, Newmarket at Woodbridge; Friday, March 30, Newmarket at Aurora.

The next zone rally will be held on Friday, March 5, at 8 p.m., at Woodbridge. All members are welcome to attend.

The Ladies' Auxiliary is holding a social meeting at the club-rooms tonight.

On the sick list at present are: J. R. King, who is in Sunnybrook and is now able to be up for a short time each day; Wm. Winkworth, home from Christie Street hospital and reported "much improved"; Ken Johns, who is in Sunnybrook hospital and is doing nicely; Cecil Jarvis, who underwent a serious operation and is now a patient at York County hospital.

Upon the request of the late Mrs. E. Hargreaves a Ladies' Auxiliary funeral service will be held at the funeral parlors of Roadhouse and Rose on Friday afternoon. All members of the auxiliary are requested to meet at Jack's Grill by 2.45 p.m. Berets will be worn and poppies will be passed out to those present by Mrs. D. L. Brown. A short service follows at the cemetery.

## WELCOME MINISTER, BRIDE

Newmarket—The Church of the Nazarene parsonage was the scene of a happy gathering of members and friends of the church on Tuesday night. Rev. and Mrs. L. E. Sparks entertained the group and provided pieces of wedding cake and ice cream and coffee to all present. At the close of the party the congregation surprised the Sparks by presenting them with a beautiful tri-light floor lamp as a wedding gift. Mr. Valentine Cryderman and Mr. Alex. Hill made the presentation. Rev. and Mrs. Sparks were united in marriage on February 14 at the Brantford Church of the Nazarene. Prior to her recent marriage a shower of linen and china was given to Mrs. Sparks (Dorothy Cox) by the Women's and Young Women's Missionary Societies of the church at the home of Mrs. Herman Wrightman, Simcoe St. Many beautiful gifts were received after which refreshments were served by the young women.

## ORGAN RECITAL

Newmarket — Following the evening service on Sunday at Trinity United church an organ recital was presented by Herman G. Fowler, Mus. Bac. The guest artist was Alice Bourke who sang Mozart's Alleluia. The other selections included in the program were: Morning by Greig; Wiegand by Kerjuly; Serenade by Toselli and March from Tannhauser by Wagner.

## PLAN ICE SHOW

Aurora — The Lions club is staging a carnival at Aurora arena on Friday evening, Feb. 27, featuring the skating troupe from Iceland arena, Toronto. The Iceland group has staged successful ice shows throughout Ontario with over 60 taking part. This looks like an outstanding attraction.

## Interesting Reading For Everyone



Indicative of the renewed interest in handicrafts is this picture of Mrs. R. A. Corner, president of the Aurora branch of the Women's Institute, at work on a loom during a recent Institute class on weaving. Photo by Barrager.

## Show How Films Used In Schools

Newmarket — The regular meeting of the Home and School Association was held in the Sunday-school room of Trinity United church on Tuesday evening with Mrs. J. C. R. Edwards presiding.

The highlight of the meeting was the demonstration of the use in the class-room of the public school's sound projector by H. A. Jackson, supervising principal. The Grade 8 class of the King George school assisted in this demonstration.

An account of the origin, development and present status of canal boat traffic in England showing how the Industrial Revolution affected transportation was shown in the two-reel film, "Canals of England."

Prior to turning over the meeting to Mrs. Nelson Ion, convenor of the radio and visual aids committee, Mrs. Edwards reviewed briefly the organization of the town council and gave an outline of the standing committees and their varied responsibilities. Mrs. Edwards also paid tribute to the founder of the Home and School Association, Mrs. Courtis, a former teacher in Toronto.

Mrs. J. T. Rhodes gave a brief but informative talk on "What our children see in the comics."

## Aurora Social News

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Sgt. and Mrs. Robert Hacking, Trenton, spent several days this week with Mrs. Robert Hacking. Mrs. W. C. King entertained at tea on Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. McCreary, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mrs. A. McGhee.

Aurora Women's Institute is holding their "At Home" this evening in the I.O.O.F. hall. Mr. Dan Webster, Fleury St., is confined to his residence with illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Babcock, Toronto, spent Sunday in Aurora visiting relatives.

Mr. Gordon McCloskey, Providence, R.I., has returned home after spending a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. George Teasdale, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. M. Hulse are spending the weekend in Ottawa where Mr. Hulse is representing the Ontario Command, Canadian Legion, at a Dominion Council committee session.

Mr. Milton Payne, who suffered a broken hip in a fall on the ice last week, is convalescing successfully.

Mrs. L. C. Lee, president of the Ontario Women's Liberal Association, addressed the Eglinton Liberal Association last week.

Miss Pearl Gunn, Queensville, spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cole.

Attending the Eglinton Hunt Club ball at the King Edward hotel from the Aurora district were Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Y. Leacock, Count and Countess Benwiski, Major and Mrs. Harrison Gilmour, Mrs. Adele Mulock, Mrs. Amelius Jarvis, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Jarvis, Mr. Malcolm Richardson.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Egan and family of Georgetown, spent the weekend with Mrs. Egan's mother, Mrs. M. Buckindale.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Cronin, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. George Duffield.

## APPEAL FOR AID TO EUROPEAN CHILDREN

Newmarket — Mrs. Wilfred Oliver, chairman of the Canadian Appeal for Children, today reported that the appeal in Newmarket is being sponsored by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Canadian Legion. Arrangements have been made to present the sound films, "Hungry Minds," and "Seeds of Destiny," at the town hall on Monday, March 8, at 8 p.m. "These films tell of the desperate need for assistance to the children of Europe by all Canadians," she said.

The campaign gets underway today and closes on Thursday, March 11. All financial contributions can be forwarded to either Mr. R. D. Brown, Bank of Montreal, or to Mrs. Oliver.

## WELCOME MINISTER, BRIDE

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PLAN TEA FRIDAY  
Newmarket — The Women's Association of Trinity United church is holding a tea and talent sale tomorrow afternoon from 3 to 5.30 p.m. A bake table will be a feature of the sale.

## W.A. TO MEET

Newmarket — The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Association of Trinity United church will be held in the Sunday-school room on Thursday, March 5, at 3 o'clock. The theme of the meeting will be St. Patrick's Day. Mrs. Isabelle Colville will be the guest speaker and Mrs. R. D. Brown will be the soloist. Both ladies will use the St. Patrick's theme in their selections. Each member is requested to bring a guest as a full attendance is desired.

MAKE PRESENTATION  
Aurora — Public school pupils presented Iltyd Harris, music director, with a leather music case on Monday last.

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## The Common Round...

By Isabel Inglis Colville

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WE LOOK FOR

Each one of us who goes to  
any form of entertainment, be it  
concert, opera, drama or movie,  
is looking for something apart  
from just entertainment. Some  
people go because they are bored  
at home; some go with a firm  
conviction that if certain people  
are taking part it will be good or  
bad, according to the goer's pre-  
conceived convictions, and no  
matter whether the performers  
are a thousand times better than  
expected or a few degrees worse,  
these unchangeables come home  
without having seen anything  
but what they expected. This  
may seem a queer kink in human  
nature, but it is human nature.

Speaking for the other half of  
the family and myself, we go to  
any entertainment with the  
firm determination to extract  
every bit of enjoyment from it  
that we can, to criticize a little—  
that's a democratic privilege  
isn't it—and if it is a case of a  
growing effort like the Newmar-  
ket Dramatic Club, to watch for  
and applaud the steady and con-  
sistent growth of a town asset.  
So it was with real pleasure that

we watched the unfolding of the  
two one-act plays given by it in  
the town hall last week.

Isn't it strange how much the  
weather, one's state of mind, and  
one's state of health, have to do  
with enjoyment. I suppose when  
we reach the stage where mind  
can triumph over environment  
and health, we shall be perfectly  
happy—or shall we? If we  
haven't anything left to grum-  
ble about, something will be  
missing from the daily round  
and anyway, perfection allows  
no further improvement. Well,  
to return to last Friday evening  
when we started out for "A Bar-  
gain's Bargain" and "Heaven  
On Earth." We picked up Mrs.  
G. McClure and Margaret Rich-  
ardson and continued on our  
way through a scene that might  
have adorned a Christmas card—  
moonlight sparkling on the snow;  
lights peeping from friendly  
windows; and the cedars standing  
tall and green, as if to guard all  
this loveliness.

Then we joined our orchestra  
friends and tuned up ready to  
make the time of waiting more  
pleasant with music.

Let me tell those who were  
not there that they have cause  
to regret for we had real enter-  
tainment and something of  
worth to carry away. We who  
have seen most of the plays put  
on by the Dramatic Society are  
amazed at the very definite gain  
in poise, in characterization, and  
in stage department which is  
evidenced in each successive ap-  
pearance of this group.

Dorothy Bowman is to be con-  
gratulated on her castings—per-  
haps the most important aspect  
of preparation, for if there is no  
foundation to build on, the  
structure is bound to sag at the

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point, and there were  
One thing that struck my hus-  
band and I was the absence of  
the need of prompting. That  
need is always a deterrent to  
enjoyment for if it is prolonged  
the audience becomes as nervous  
as the players and enjoyment is  
nil.  
Alma Stevens as Grace  
Brown was delightful and show-  
ed a poise and naturalness that  
made the audience feel, as audi-  
ences should feel, that we were  
watching something that might  
happen any day in our midst.

Edna Sleight as Clara Smith  
was excellent. Monty Brown, as  
portrayed by George McNelly,  
gave us a lot of pleasure, and all  
of these actors have grown with  
the club and are giving more  
pleasure at each performance.  
Mike McMorow as Alec Smith,  
Barbara Hamilton as Anne  
Howe, showed that they have  
talent and the capacity for giv-  
ing a convincing performance.  
As for Ginger—well—Golden  
Glow and I agreed that a good  
square meal seemed to be in  
order for him—he looked  
anemic!

Then came "Heaven On  
Earth." When I saw the caption  
— A Cautionary Comedy—I  
wondered, but after watching it  
unfolding I thought, how true.  
It deals with a problem that is  
all too prevalent, the desire of  
the young to scout conventions,  
the need to shock someone, the  
feeling that they must carve out  
a way for themselves untram-  
melled by the vows that bound  
their parents.

Just how this was dealt with  
by one father and mother was  
portrayed with humor, under-  
standing, and really magnifi-  
cent forthrightness, by the cast  
of "Heaven On Earth." Vera  
Brown as Laura Hubbard gave a  
presentation of the mother that  
would have stood comparison  
with a professional. Her changes  
of expression—lightning-like and  
convincing—look us with her as  
she and F. D. L. Stewart, as her  
husband, strove to show their  
daughter Jill Hubbard—this part  
taken by Fern Russell, and well  
taken—just where the step-  
union without marriage would  
lead her.

Mr. Stewart is a newcomer to  
the audience, and all we can say  
is that after his performance in  
"Heaven On Earth," we hope to  
see him often. He played a dif-  
ficult part with artistry and  
skill. Jack Struthers as Adrian  
Hillidge played a difficult part  
like a seasoned actor and the  
maid was what a maid should  
be. This last group will appear  
at Hart House and we wish them  
what they deserve—success!

I asked Mrs. Bowman if there  
was anything she would like me  
to say for her. She said only  
the pride she feels in her whole  
cast and their co-operation with  
her, and the intense pleasure it  
gave her to see the fine turn-  
outs for these plays. We, my  
husband and I, add—Congratulations  
to Dorothy Bowman. She  
deserves them!

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## Young Hopefuls

By DOROTHY MUIR BOWMAN

Byron is an unhappy, rebel-  
lious teen-ager. His disturbing  
attitude is typical of the adoles-  
cent's natural desire to develop  
his own independence. The dif-  
ficulty lies in the fact that by far  
the majority of adolescents have-  
n't had sufficient experience to  
equip them to use sound judg-  
ment in making decisions for  
themselves.

In order for the adolescent to  
be capable of adjusting to his  
physical maturation, he needs  
early discipline and continued  
discipline to help him to a higher  
knowledge of right and wrong  
—to a finer, better way of living.  
This discipline should be admin-  
istered with understanding and a  
view to helping the child see the  
error of his way and want to  
learn the right way. Discipline  
prompted by love and interest in  
the child's future happiness is a  
method of teaching—one mind  
speaking to another—that is ef-  
fective, always.

Byron's present anti-social at-  
titude could have been avoided  
if he hadn't been ruled by fear  
and lorded over by his parents  
as if they were the one and only  
authority and source of informa-  
tion.

### Immunity To Punishment

When Byron became immune  
to fear of spankings and harsh  
words, he became unmanageable.  
Besides, Byron hasn't been  
allowed to do any thinking on  
his own so now isn't capable of  
sound judgment. His rebellious  
attitude is a direct result of an  
inferiorly complex and disre-  
spect for parental suppression.

We can't blame the adolescent  
if his parents haven't gradually  
released their control of him and  
allowed him to take more and  
more responsibility for his own  
actions. By the time he reaches  
adolescence, he should be capable  
of choosing his companions, eval-  
uating situations, thinking con-  
structively and living his own  
life—yet, with a mind open for  
more knowledge, experience and  
constructive criticism. (The  
adult whose mind is closed has  
ceased to live, mentally.)

Byron is craving excitement  
and power. He is acquiring a  
false sense of values. That  
usually happens when the adoles-  
cent breaks from authority.

Real happiness doesn't come  
from excitement and power, but  
from love of beauty, delight in  
thought and a desire to contrib-  
ute to the well being of the  
community.

### STARTS HEALTH TALKS

Aurora—Miss Clair Hicks, Au-  
rora V.O.N. nurse, started a series  
of four health lectures to the  
girls at Aurora high school this  
week. Home nursing, communi-  
cable diseases, demonstrations  
on bathing a baby, and making  
formula as well as other subjects  
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## CANADIAN PLOWMEN ABROAD

by W. L. CLARK - President  
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Edinburgh—Since my last letter, the boys and I have spent a wonderful week in Scotland. On the afternoon of our arrival in Scotland, we were taken to St. Cuthbert's Co-operative Farm, of about 1,500 acres, and I understand it is one of the few co-operative farms that has been a success. Ayrshire cows are kept here as well as 100 large white brood sows and 800 feeders. I was surprised to learn that they put their hogs up to 200 lbs. dressed weight. Our market, as you know, wants them much lighter and yet nearly all our pork is exported to Britain. The 200-lb. hog brings the British farmer \$72 or 36c per lb. I believe our price is around 25 or 26c per lb.

Here in Scotland, milk retails for 12c per pint or 24c per quart and there is no pasteurization. Potato prices are much the same as ours but all such foods are rationed and too often the housewife finds the supply has run out before her ration is filled. The egg ration is one egg per week per person—if there are eggs!

### Visiting Scottish Farms

During the next three days we inspected many Scottish farms. The first was F. MacGillivray's farm at East Lothian. Mr. MacGillivray is one of the noted Shorthorn breeders of Scotland but a few years ago he had the misfortune of having his entire herd wiped out by hoof and mouth disease. He is just now getting re-established. J. P. Dale's farm, North Burwick, was the next place we visited. This farm, operated by Mr. Dale and his two sons, consists of about 1,200 acres. To help them with the farming, the Dales employ 75 men and women.

The produce consists of feeder steers which the Dales buy from

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#### Saved by Dog

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Komar were overcome by gas fumes last weekend but luckily were awakened by their dog. Mrs. Komar was quite ill for a couple of days but has now fully recovered.

The Wesley Woman's Association will meet at the home of Mrs. G. E. Richardson on Wednesday, March 3. Topic will be missionary work by Mrs. Cole, Mrs. Moddle. Roll-call is a verse on service. Hostesses are Mrs. H. A. White and Mrs. W. Lundy.

Miss Wreatha Legge, Newmarket, is spending the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Foster.

Miss Ethel Carrigan, Toronto, is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Jas. Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Foster and Dorothy spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Morton and family at Belhaven and had supper with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Preston.

The pie social that was postponed due to bad weather will be held in Wesley church basement on Friday night, March 5. Please take note of the change of place.

Mrs. Arnold Gardhouse and family of Thistleton visited Mrs. Gardhouse's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kingdon, for a couple of days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Scott and family of Port Credit were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kingdon.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Allen, Aurora, and Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Oliver were dinner guests on Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Oliver. We are glad Mr. Allen is better and is able to be out again, having been confined to his home the past few months.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith and son of Aurora were Sunday guests at the home of Mrs. Alfred Patten-

den. We extend our sympathy to Mr. James Wright on the passing of his brother last week. Mr. Wright attended the funeral in London on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gould, Aurora, were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Oliver.

There was a good attendance at the regular meeting of the Women's Institute on Thursday. Mrs. J. C. R. Edwards and Mrs. N. L. Matthews, Newmarket, gave interesting talks.

Everyone reports having had an enjoyable evening at the euchre party at the Community Hall on Friday evening. The ladies' prize for the high score was won by Mrs. Wilber Clough-ton, Lemonville, the consolation prize going to Mrs. Henry Stevenson. Mr. Walter Pattenden was the prize winning man, the consolation winner being Mr. Ernie Preston. Mrs. Dibb was the winner of the patch work quilt. At the end of the evening a delicious lunch was served. Miss Marion van Nostrand, Sudbury, was a weekend guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur van Nostrand.

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in depth and grow tremendous crops, even after centuries of cultivation. It makes us wonder if contour plowing is the answer to soil conservation or whether proper soil care and crop rotation are not more important.

We visited a number of both stock and market farms. On the market farms, we found that the vegetables were coming along well. In one field we noticed that the cabbages were ready to form heads. We spent some time at the farm of Wm. Adams who specializes in early potatoes. The seeds are in sprouting boxes and will be planted soon. The sprouts are now about two inches in length and are planted carefully by hand—nearly 100 acres of them. Mr. Adams pointed out one field to us which has grown this crop each year for over 50 years and is still producing six to eight tons per acre. Naturally, it gets the best care.

On our last day in Scotland we looked at one of the finest Ayrshire herds I have ever seen. This herd, owned by Wm. Dunlop of Gree, has won the female championship for seven years. The fact that he refused over 1,000 pounds (approximately \$5,000) for a cow nine years old gives some idea of the value placed on good breeding stock here.

On the Dale farm we saw an example of fine plowing. Indeed, all through Scotland, plowing standards are generally high. We have seen much good plowing of both tractor and horse variety. It is mostly of the general purpose type which conforms to our own closely. We haven't seen any indication of contour plowing despite the fact that this is rolling country with heavy rainfall. They are plowing this land ten inches



## WILLOW BEACH

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mahoney motored to Toronto on Monday, Feb. 16.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Martin spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John McNeill.

On Thursday, Feb. 19, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Draper entertained a few friends, the occasion being Mr. Draper's birthday.

Mrs. Widdifield and Mrs. Hopkins, Newmarket, visited Mrs. P. Graves on Saturday.

A carload of hockey fans attended the game in Bradford on Thursday.

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# STATEMENT

OF

## Respective Functions of The Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario and the Municipal Hydro Commissions, with Particular Reference to the Present Emergency.

In view of the apparent public misunderstanding of the respective functions of The Hydro-Electric Power Commission of the Province and the Municipal Hydro Commissions in the municipalities, this statement is made to clarify the situation.

The function of the Provincial Commission is to generate or buy electric power and to sell electric power to Municipal Commissions and directly to rural consumers and to certain industries.

The function of each Municipal Commission is to sell to its consumers within the municipality the electric power purchased from the Provincial Commission.

In practice, the Provincial Commission and the Municipal Commissions endeavour to co-operate with each other in the public interest.

By reason of lack of rainfall last summer and autumn and by lack of thaws during the present winter, there has been a substantial depletion of the storage of water necessary to maintain a high level of continuous generation. The resulting loss of production of electric power has taken place in Ontario and elsewhere where power has been purchased both under contract and in excess of contract commitments by the Provincial Commission. This loss of production of electric energy has become so serious that certain of those who had contracts to supply the Provincial Commission with electric power have been compelled not only to withdraw the electric power they had been supplying in excess of contract commitments, but as well have been compelled to reduce delivery below contract requirements by a further reduction of 8,000,000 kilowatt-hours per week.

As long ago as December 15th, the Provincial Commission notified the Municipal Commissions and indicated to its direct consumers that, in addition to cuts already being applied to direct consumers, it was evident that, unless additional voluntary savings could be obtained, the Commission would be obliged to order the municipalities to reduce their loads from time to time by as much as 15 per cent or more. This notification was given for the express purpose of obtaining greater conservation of power and to enable each Municipal Commission to plan in advance the most equitable allocation of power within the municipality.

The Provincial Commission received notification that the most recent cut of power purchased under contract would be effective on Monday, February 16th. In order to make an equitable reduction of power delivery to all Municipal Commissions, it was necessary for the Provincial Commission to compute for each Municipal Commission the amount of reduction it would be called upon to absorb, after taking into account the amount of conservation already effected by each Municipal Commission since October, 1947. To enable the Provincial Commission to complete the necessary computations and to notify the majority of Municipal Commissions of the amount of reduction each would have to absorb by Wednesday, February 18th, it was necessary that a substantial reduction be placed in effect as of Monday, February 16th, so that there would be no risk of an actual power stoppage in deliveries by the Provincial Commission. To accomplish this, the Provincial Commission requested the Municipal Commissions of Toronto, Ottawa, Hamilton, London, Windsor and Peterborough to reduce their takings of electric power by specific amounts during specified times, and also requested these Municipal Commissions to, in the meantime, treat the request confidentially and not to give it to the press prior to the notification to all municipalities on Monday. This was done to avoid statements appearing which might have the effect of creating quite erroneous impressions of the amount of reduction necessary in each particular municipality throughout the Province.

In relation to the reduction of power, each Municipal Commission was faced with entirely different considerations as to how available power would be allocated within each municipality. For this reason, it was not feasible for the Provincial Commission by a general statement to indicate to the consumers in any particular municipality the allocation of available power that would be made by the Municipal Commissions.

The Provincial Commission is delivering to the Municipal Commissions and to its direct consumers all the electric power it is able to generate or buy.

It is the function of each Municipal Commission to determine not only the allocation of power among its consumers, but also what public explanation may be desirable in relation thereto.

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## KETTLEBY

We are glad to report an improvement in the condition of our sick members, Mrs. Bob Archibald and little Sandra Murrehead at home and Mrs. Tom Judges in York County hospital. Another member of our community, Mrs. Tom Wilson, had a serious operation in St. Michael's hospital last Saturday. She will be confined to her bed for the next three months with a cast extending from her shoulder to her knee. We all hope the operation will be successful in curing the trouble in her hip.

Mrs. Russell Hunter is in London visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ken Clawson, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. George Epworth, Toronto, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sibby.

Several members of our community attended the recital at the Aurora Music club last Friday night and we wish all the contestants who are entering the Kiwanis competition in Toronto this week every success.

What a wonderful day Sunday

## ELMHURST BEACH

turned out to be for the members of Christ church. Rev. J. E. Gibson came in with his wife and son to join the congregation. Rev. F. V. Abbott asked him to read the second lesson. Rev. Gibson chose 1 Corinthians, chapter 13, but before he began to read, he gave us a talk on the conditions existing at the time it was written, which was most interesting and took the place of the sermon. After the service, there was quite a reunion among the older members who had been attending the church 38 years ago when Rev. J. E. Gibson was the vicar.

Rev. J. E. Gibson and Mrs. Gibson and son were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Black recently.

Next Sunday, Feb. 29, service will be at the usual hour of 3 p.m. at Christ church. As this is an unusual day coming only once in 28 years, let us use this extra Sunday to give special thanks for all the wonderful things we enjoy on this continent.

## HARTMAN

The Woman's Association of Hartman United church met at the parsonage February 19 with 16 members present and a number of visitors. The meeting was in the charge of the president, Mrs. D. Stiver, with Mrs. Burgess taking the devotional part of the meeting. Mrs. Hill read the Scripture and Mrs. E. Pegg gave a devotional reading. We were favored with a duet by Mrs. E. Harman and Mrs. W. R. Steeper.

A letter of appreciation was read by the secretary acknowledging boxes that had been sent to England. An interesting talk was given by Mrs. H. Harman touching especially on the conditions in Europe among the Polish people. Mrs. D. Stiver and Mrs. L. Oldham provided lunch.

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## KESWICK

Our sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Smith who received word Monday of the death in Toronto of their eldest son, William. He was born in Victoria Harbor 58 years ago and leaves his widow and a married son and daughter. Mr. and Mrs. Smith attended the funeral in Toronto on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Lester and Miss Betty Jefferys with several friends visited Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jeffery at Cedar Glen on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron King and son, Wayne, Toronto, visited their parents here on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kennedy and three children of Ringwood were weekend guests of Rev. and Mrs. Serrick.

## SCOTT COUNCIL

The Scott twp. council regular monthly meeting was held at the township hall in the afternoon of February 7. All members except Councillor Profit were present. Master Jack Pearson was in attendance on council suggesting that in compliance with a petition presented, council pass a by-law making treatment for warble fly compulsory. The clerk was instructed to prepare by-law covering the same. Council accepted return of the 1946 tax collector's roll. Resolution was passed suggesting that persons applying for marriage licenses be required to supply health certificates. This will be passed on to municipal associations for consideration.

A by-law was passed appointing the following officers: fence-viewers, S. Bibby, L. Luke, Maurice Kennedy, M. Keller, Harvey Meek, H. Leek, E. Polard, W. Stevenson, W. Sellers, John Walker; poundkeepers, Fred Barton, Wm. Barton, Alf Broad, H. Couch, Leslie Lapp, Clarence Pickering, Bruce Shier, James Smith; livestock valuers, Geo. Harrison, Thos. Kydd, Carl P. Meyers, J. Alex. Noble, Isaac Pegg, Harvey Shier, Robert Harrison.

Council adjourned to meet in the afternoon of Saturday, March 6.

## APPOINTED AS CLERK

James Butler of Richmond Hill has been appointed Clerk of the York County magistrate's court, Toronto, as well as a Justice of the Peace.

## THE NEWMARKET ERA AND EXPRESS, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 26TH, 1948

ELEVEN

## PLEASANTVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Clarke, Toronto, were Friday guests at the home of their daughter, Mrs. George Smith, and family. Master Clarke Smith had his first birthday anniversary Friday.

Mrs. E. S. Hawtin enjoyed a few days last week calling and renewing old acquaintances in Newmarket and Aurora.

Guests for Thursday tea at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry West included Mr. and Mrs. Ewart, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williams and Garnet, and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Williams.

Miss Margaret Willis, Aurora, spent several days last week with her aunt and cousin, Mrs. G. McClure and Murray.

Mrs. G. McClure, Murray, McClure, Joyce Van Lavan and Margaret Willis had Thursday tea with Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Jewitt, Kettleby.

Mrs. Douglas Harrison and two children of Aurora were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. M. Sheridan.

Sorry to report the illness of Master Elgin Toole and hope for a speedy recovery. Elgin also had the measles a month ago.

Murray McClure and his mother, Mrs. G. McClure, spent part of last Wednesday at the home of Mr. A. Richardson, near Aurora.

Owing to the illness of Rev. Norman Rowan during the Shepherd has been supply minister at Pine Orchard church.

W.I. Meeting

Last Tuesday proved a wonderful day in weather so there was a good attendance for Bogartown Institute at Mrs. A. M. Colville's home. The president, Mrs. F. Williams, and secretary, Mrs. Sid. Legge, had a lot of business to dispose of.

Mrs. E. Hawtin had prepared a good program and different articles were read by Mrs. Wood, Mrs. Huyck, Mrs. McNicol, Mrs. Penrose, Mrs. Toole and Mrs. McClure. Mrs. Colville gave current events. A letter was read from Francis Starr in India by his mother. The committee in charge served lunch.

Club To Meet

The Bogartown club meeting will be on Friday, Feb. 27. An extra special program is being prepared by Stuart Starr and his committee. On March 5, our club will be guests of Pine Orchard.

## MAGISTRATE'S COURT

### Court Dismisses Charge Of Theft

Newmarket — Wallace Jos. Shelly, Thistleton, who elected to be tried by a higher court, was discharged in magistrate's court on Friday after evidence in the preliminary hearing revealed that he did not steal a spray gun, the property of Ray Shier, Newmarket, with the intention of selling or keeping it. The charge of theft was laid by Chief Constable Byron Burbridge on Jan. 26.

Shier said he had left his spraying equipment with Garfield Firth, Newmarket, who phoned him on Jan. 20 and said that the spray gun had been stolen. Shier valued the machine at \$125. Firth reported to the police that the gun had been taken.

Firth testified that he had thought Shelly might have taken it and phoned him next day. The accused told him that he had and he returned the machine to Chief Constable Burbridge in Newmarket on Jan. 22.

Shelly told the court that he had made arrangements with Firth last October to buy plumbing equipment and gave him a \$80 deposit. He said that he had not received any equipment from him since, and he tried to get in touch with Firth several times. He said he was not able to make any settlement. The accused said that he lost patience and after failing to locate Firth at his residence, took the spray gun which was outside, hoping that it would bring him to see him. Shelly took the machine to the police when he learned that it did not belong to Firth.

A charge of receiving stolen property, laid against Robert Arthur Henderson and Richard Jos. Brand, was dismissed. They had been remanded two weeks ago. A charge of the theft of a saddle and bridle against Henderson was dismissed.

A charge laid against Garfield Firth, Newmarket, was remanded until Monday, Feb. 23, the hearing to be at York County magistrate's court in Toronto. The charge is theft of \$50 from a Mr. Palmateer in Richmond Hill.

## ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

The Boy Scouts and Wolf Cubs, and in addition the newly re-organized Girl Guides and Brownies, attended the morning service at St. Paul's church last Sunday and filled the front seats on both sides. Arrangements are going ahead as rapidly as possible for the installation of the new Hammond organ, and it is still possible all may be completed by Palm Sunday. Bishop Beverley of Toronto has set Thursday, March 4, at 8 p.m., for the induction of Rev. J. T. Rhodes, B.A., L.Th., to the parish of St. Paul's. The special preacher for the occasion will be Rev. T. W. Ingham, M.A. The rector is conducting a study on St. Luke's Gospel; the weekly Lenten service held every Wednesday at 8 p.m.

## POTTAGEVILLE

There was a large attendance in the church hall here on Friday evening, Feb. 20, when the National Film Board presented a number of educational films.

The W.A. will hold its regular meeting on Thursday at the home of Mrs. A. Westlake.

Mrs. T. Blackburn is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. A. Ellerby, in Weston.

Mr. Willis Hunking, Kitchener, called on friends here on Sunday.

Mrs. A. Archibald visited friends in Tottenham on Sunday.

Mrs. Claire Shaw and Mrs. Stan. Proctor attended the United church conference in Toronto on Thursday, Feb. 19.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Nugent, Toronto, visited their home here on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Barrett, Toronto, called on Mr. and Mrs. Irish on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Blackburn called on friends in Aurora on Thursday.

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## DOWN THE CENTRE

With AB HULSE

### FROM OFF THE CUFF

Did you notice that "our boy" Joint McComb scored four goals in one game recently? The old smoothie joins a coterie of six other players in the American Hockey League who have performed the same feat this year. While A.H.L. matters are under consideration, it's nice to see Scotty Mair back with a headline club again. Starting the season with Washington Lions, the ex-Aurora junior got off to a fine start as did the Leos. In mid-season illness and better reinforcements with the opposing clubs caught up with Washington, and they hit the league cellar. Toronto Leafs transferred Hughie (still their property) before the last deadline to Pittsburgh Hornets who not only have been at the top of the heap all year, but are favored by many to win the league championship. Play-off money and a chance to shine in the limelight should bring out the well known Mair smile like a half-moon.

Douglas May, we hear from those who should know, has definitely said "nix" to again assuming the post of president of the North Yonge softball league. The balmy breezes may, or course, melt the present iceberg attitude of Doug towards softball. Nels Findlay, the stylishly stout sportsman from Thornhill, better known for his softball and curling activities, has assumed the coaching job for Thornhill Lions minor-bantam hockey club. The club will make its debut in organized hockey in the T.H.L. King Clancy series. Frank Peppiatt, who played baseball in canaltown "away back when", and then went to Toronto to make good, has become treasurer of the Viaduct senior baseball league. "Father" Peppiatt, as the lads call him, has been one of the Queen City's biggest baseball boosters for some years.

Harry Pearce, who won the acclaim of district hockey fans with his up-and-at-tem style with East York and Aurora Tigers juniors a few years ago and then served four years overseas, is in the north county this season with Sudbury Wolves who are in the senior N.O.H.A. play-offs. Harry joins another former Aurora junior on the same team in the person of Dan Vanciel, who astounded the railbirds in the early '30's with his stick-handling ability. Vanciel had another trait, too, that astounded club backers and the general public—he was the only "import" in those days who would actually work at anything and return real honest work to his employers.

Aurora juveniles, after winning the first game of their series with Bradford, lost Harold Nesbitt and the game via the protest route. "Tuffy", who has played smart hockey all year, was discovered to be over age by a mere matter of hours but still over age and ineligible for juvenile hockey. It pays to check the birth certificates early in the season. The Aurora club acted in good faith in the matter and club officials could tell an interesting story on the "tip-off" to Bradford if they so desired. Canada's national game, which by act of parliament is lacrosse, received another black eye the other day when the C.L.A. refused to send a team in the Olympic game to compete in an "exhibition" against an English team. Rensselaer Polytechnic, New York, will represent North America in the event. Time was in both lacrosse and hockey when the teams sought eagerly the honor of representing their country in the field of international sport. Now it's a case of "how much" or "lay it on the line first". The A meaning amateur was taken out of lacrosse, however, long before hockey officials did likewise and admitted the word had been "shamateur" for a long time. We may be a bit old fashioned, but the days of field lacrosse, with speed, hard checking and plenty of colorful characters, sweating it out under a boiling sun or zephyr breeze on the greensward before supporters who had their heart and pocketbook behind their team, will always linger as one of the biggest sports thrills we have received both as player and spectator.

### JUNIOR JAMBOREE

Victoria Square visits Aurora tonight and while the contest doesn't mean a thing so far as league standing is concerned, the personal pride of the players on both teams, the hell-for-leather type of game that prevails when these two clubs meet, plus the rumors of impending fistfuffs (as erroneous as last Monday) threatens to pack the house. Stouffville had a record paid crowd on Monday and what loomed up once as just an ordinary game again assumes the proportions of the other two S.R.O. crowds.

With Hoffman's in the land of limbo and Gapeos threatening to meet Aurora in the group final, there is expected to be a large delegation on hand from canaltown. George Haskett and Johnny Campbell both took a new lease on life and unwrapped their very best smiles when the returns came in from Stouffville on Monday. Remember those old Office Specialty blotters of yesterday which bore the words it can be done? Well, Bob McGuire is figuring on having some printed for his boys to ponder on morning and night and Councillor Aub Seythes, the number one fan of the Gapeos, is figuring on applying the Coue system to the players. Father Tom McCabe is more practical. He just puts the boys to hard work. No kidding, the group final can be something if the Flyers aren't flying and the Newmarket kids have one or two of their better nights. There are those, however, who say the Aurora kids have the jinx on Newmarket and they point to the wide margins both this season and last. "They're our cousins," said one of the Flyers' executives. "Too bad the folding money isn't supporting them. Wouldn't mind recouping some of that lost at Stouffville." Well, watch for the dates, folks. Last year the regular schedule was finished on February 6 and in the semi-finals Aurora won 5-0 and 7-1 from Newmarket. The Victoria Square series ended on March 1 at Stouffville with two straight wins. Given any luck the group finals will easily be reached at home, a good break for the teams.

Leonard Simmons points out that despite the lateness of the season there isn't a group winner ready by February 23 in either junior B or C. By the way, you should have seen the welcome the Aurora manager received in Stouffville every time the crowd saw him. Simmons can read Dale Carnegie's book through and through and still not be a social success in Stouffville (but what stranger can unless he has the same ideas?).

Shifting players around game after game is not conducive to the best team results and the Flyers from here in will have to play as unit lines rather than like unscrambling a jigsaw puzzle the hard way. The boys have a heavy record in red ink for penalties. We fail to recall an Aurora junior team with more. Most of it has been of the foolish or cheap penalty type and some appears even to have been retaliatory, as witness the Unionville game. A little plain speaking all the way around is due. Now is the hour as the current song hit has it. From here in, the big chips are down, the stakes grow higher and the opposition better. Aurora is a stronger team than last year. The plain fact is that in recent games they haven't shown that. Ken Broughton, Newmarket, who had a try-out, likely to prove profitable, with Galt Red Wings last week, is a mighty good player but there are at least three or four on the Aurora team as good. The fact that Jack Liscombe, the Galt scout who refereed, didn't select any of the Aurora boys for a trial after the last Newmarket game speaks for itself.

### HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Newmarket—Miss Renee Renzius, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Renzius, returned home from York County hospital Monday morning following an appendix operation.

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## Square Licks Flyers 11-5

By AB HULSE

Before a record paid crowd (1,104), Victoria Square juniors demonstrated why they have been moved up to junior "B" ranks by taking a decisive 11-5 win over Aurora Flyers. Generally, it's even-Stephen between the two squads, and it was just that for 40 minutes on Monday night until the Flyers ran out of gas and the Square trained their heavy artillery on Smith. To say the crowd was delighted would be putting it mildly, and the roars were enough to loosen the rafters as the homesters scored. Aurora has no alibis. As experience has taught, any team that can beat Eric Smith for 11 counters must be really hot. For a change too, Aurora drew fewer penalties than the opposition and perhaps this oddity, the first this year, unnerved the lads.

Bill Mabbett was a ball of fire in the V.S. win, grabbing two goals and three assists. Keith Jewitt and "Husky" Lewis each bagged a brace, while the elusive Polly Minton, while kept off the goal list, earned four "Cow-leys." Ronnie Simmons with three goals and one assist stood out like a beacon light in the Aurora cause. Injuries were not serious for either squad although "Stew" Patrick took quite a shellacking, and Billy Attridge suffered a bruised arm. Expected fireworks failed to materialize as referee Max Resor and linesman Jim Grainger were ready to draw a bead on

the nearest offender before you could say "I'm my own Grand-paw."

Stouffville scored three in a row from the sticks of Mabbett, Jewitt and Taylor before Aurora hit paydirt at 15:37 with Boychoff doing the trick. Aurora had a one-man advantage twice but couldn't do a thing about it.

With neither team drawing a penalty, the second period gave out with the thrills. Simmons narrowed the gap at 2:50, and Bill McGhee made it a tie at 15:12. The Aurora kids had spent their best by this time and Lewis on a break-away with Burkholder and Mabbett fired home a heartbreaker.

The last period saw lightning strike in the same place seven times in a row before the sun shone. Mabbett and Burkholder scored a couple within four seconds of each other. Later Lee Harper's boys blinked the red-light four times in three minutes, 37 seconds for a group record of some sort. Simmons tallied two inside 26 seconds as the period ended. Both teams drew three penalties each.

Every one of the Stouffville forwards except McMillan grabbed at least one scoring point. Norm Stunden was in the winning cage and he handled things with nonchalance. Don Campbell was the pick of the blue-liners. The two teams clash again tonight and the Flyers will be out to erase this blot on their record. Better get there early.

## Lose Tough One In Overtime

### Hockey Briefs

By GEO. HASKETT, JR.

So it's goodbye to intermediate hockey for this winter. In fact today it looks like good-bye to winter but don't count on it. Newmarket lost another of its hockey hopefuls Friday, Hoffman's bowing out of the O.H.A. scramble after a bitter three-game series with Collingwood "Shipbuilders."

Highlights of third game was the wide open hockey dished up by both clubs. High sticking was in the forefront with our stalwarts being the chief sufferers. Frankie Carr was a bulwark all winter long in the Hoffman nets. Friday was about even as far as shots on goal, Carr blocking 39, Sparks at the other end 42. Referee Dobson handed out ten penalties, seven to Newmarket. Don Smith, who up to this game hadn't been thumbed to the sin-bin, was called for two. At that, it looked like the whistle tooter might have put the finger on the wrong party on Smith's first penalty. Harvey Gibney popped off to Dobson in the final two minutes and was given a misconduct stretch. Johnny Crewson, playing one of his best games, chalked up a trio of markers though it was a toss up whether he or "Jing" Groves sank the biscuit with a minute to go in the overtime. Both took a swipe at it.

Our Gapeos junior pals were on the short end again at Stouffville Friday. The Redwings took a 10-3 victory over our forces. Gapeos not only were on the short end of the scoring but also were short on playing strength. They only iced eight men. Bill Mulholland guarding the twine. Bob "B.A." Walker and Chris Lotto did business at the blue-line with four forwards, Frankie Joy was top man with two goals, with Ken Broughton in for the other. Gapeos started operations with eight but before the evening was over, they were down to six. Harold Spry suffered a head injury and Ken Broughton was sidelined by a charge from a Stouffville defenceman. Team boss Harry Goodman came back burned up by the rough tactics displayed by the Redwings. The home forces apparently gave our boys a rough ride of it.

Tis often said it takes the crowd to make the hockey game. The bigger the fan following, the faster the teams go. It must be so for there were over 1,100 at the Uxbridge Arena Monday evening to see two good games as the Uxbridge league teams fought for a berth in the semi-finals. Pine Orchard, with the old reliable Herbie Simpson in command, won a 4-3 victory over Goodwood, sending the Orchard squad into the semi-finals. The second saw Zephyr Blues wallop the home town Uxbridge crew 7-3. The fans really went for the first game backing their teams vocally to the hilt. Starting in the Orchard victory was Barney Peterman with a duo of scoring efforts. His second came with less than a minute left when the score was tied. Murphy "The Plumber" Jelley did his part for the Orchard with a goal and Bun Hood smacked in the other tally. Playing strong games on behalf of our eastern neighbors were Duke Dennis, Bob Smith, Herbie

## P.S. All-Stars Defeat Aurora 7-1

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In the first of a two-game series, Newmarket public school All-Stars chalked up a convincing 7-1 triumph over the Aurora public school all-stars. The game was staged, the first of its kind we believe, at the local ice cushion Tuesday afternoon.

Coach Ross Goheen's Newmarket pee wees had a little too much on the scoring ball for Al Clark's Aurora sextet. Newmarket moved into a two-goal lead in the first frame, Jack Staley and Wayne Robinson building up the margin with their goals. Bobbie Forhan with Jack Staley and Bob Woodcock lending a helping hand drove in a goal for Newmarket in the middle frame. Ralph Rose skating up from his blue-line position broke the scoring ice for Aurora after accepting a pass out from Chuck Milne. It was the lone Aurora counter.

Leading 3-1 going into the final frame, Newmarket made a rout of it with four scoring credits, Bobbie Forhan and Jack Staley skating in for their second tallies, and Bill Smith and Carl Ball each chalking up singletons. Bruce Langford and Mickey Barker earned assists on the Smith counter. Sonny Crocker got the nod for an assist on Staley goal.

The return game of the series, weather permitting, will likely be up for decision Friday in Aurora. Line-up: goal, J. Stickland; def., Bob Groves, Bill Smith; centre, S. Crocker; wings, J. Staley, B. Forhan; alt., M. Barker, B. Langford, C. Ball, W. Robinson, B. Woodcock, T. Gilbert, J. Stedman, B. Burch, G. Morton (sub-goal), Coach Ross Goheen.

Aurora goal, C. Andrews; def., A. Closs, R. Rose; centre, E. Summers; wings, B. Cook, W. Fines; alt., B. Ash, C. Milne, T. Starkey, W. Fluery, F. Billing, D. Harrison; coach, Al. Clark; referee, R. Campsule.

### DEFEAT NEWMARKET

Aurora girl basketball assured themselves of no worse than a tie for interscholastic honors after a double win over the purple and gold squads from Newmarket high. With Anne Boulding (5), Connie Calder (4), and Vivian Rose (4), putting on a great display the juniors took

## Flyers Take Fourth Play-Off Win

Aurora Flyers took their fourth straight play-off win 11-2 on Thursday night. The victors were the blue and gold Unionville squad and the score might easily have been doubled if the Flyers had played a less rugged game and confined themselves to hockey. The soft ice in the early part of the game made play ragged, and until the last period when break-aways occurred, it looked as if Keith Kyle in the Flyers' net might record the first shutout of the season. Capt. Loring Doolittle was absent from the line-up but assumed the announcing job from the gondola.

Aurora scored four in the first period, Simmons getting three tallies and Norm Nigh the other. Mike Brinkos made it 5-0 in the second. It was 6-0 when Bill Boychoff tallied in the third, and then Bud Watson beat Kyle for the visitors on a clean break-away. Simmons got that back and then Nigh and Wilkinson both tallied two apiece for Flyers with Cox sandwiching a goal between the pair.

Abner "The Great" Grant, softball pitcher de luxe, and a tough hombre on the defence in mercantile hockey, refereed the game and allowed the boys considerable leeway in their tactics. The high-sticking and holding in the last period evened the drabness of the contest. Aurora drew eight penalties as against five for Unionville, Grove getting three of the visiting misconduct marks.

A 13-6 win. Jolyne Doolittle and Florence Bell paced the senior squad to a 17-11 win. The Aurora defensive forces in both contests kept the visiting snipers well under control. A visit to Newmarket next week brings the regular schedule to a close.

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## Newmarket Legion Ties Woodbridge

With Newmarket and Woodbridge branches tied for leadership in the Zone E-2 Canadian Legion cribbage tournament, the second round series started this week. In this series, the southern section will play home and home games with the north. A grand finale with all teams competing in one night will be held in April. Aurora, the defending champions, are in third place. The standing is: Newmarket 573 (142 games), Woodbridge 573 (138 games), Aurora 522 (138 games), Sutton 469 (132 games), Mount Albert 463 (132 games), King 384 (132 games). The zone winners will compete in the district finals in early May.

Era and Express Classifieds bring results.

## CORRECTION

In a story about the new Dominion Bank at the old Adams Barber Shop site, it was said last week that Gilkes' Electric, Aurora, had the contract for the wiring. Actually Harold Gilkes, an electrical contractor in Newmarket who has no connection with the Aurora firm, has the contract.

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